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The New Store is Booming . . .

Scores of people are taking advantage of the low prices and are saving money.



Keep Your Eyes Open to the Following Prices :

A nice honey comb roller towel- ling at.....5c. per yard.	Duck suitings, blue with white anchor at.....15c. per yard.	White bed spreads, no dressing in them, full size.....for \$1.00.
We have one thousand yards of flannelette, regular 8c. line, to sell at.....5c. per yard.	Art muslins in fancy patterns, only.....12c. per yard.	Circular pillow cottons, 46 inches wide at.....20c. per yard.
Grey and white flannelette blank- ets.....per pair 90c.	Good strong ticking now selling for only.....12c. per yard.	We are selling high grade linol- eums, 2 yards wide at \$1.25 a yard.
Duck suitings, white with red anchor at.....15c. per yard.	Big range of shirtings in checks and stripes at.....8c. per yard.	We are showing a nice carpet at.....15c. per yard.
A special in table linen. It is worth 75c.; we are selling it at 50c.	You can get six yards of nice summer tweed dress goods, light and dark colors.....for \$1.50.	Ladies' sailors, blue, white, brown and black at.....25c. each.

Just a word to the Farmers !

We are taking Butter and Eggs and will give you Dry Goods and Groceries for them at the above prices.

Remember the place—The New Store.
One price and money back if you want it.

B. CAREY.

Harness !

Harness !

HERE IS A SNAP !

A fine set of team harness, all hand made from best oak leather, for \$24.00 ; something better for \$26.00, \$28.00 and \$30.00. Single harness for \$8, \$12, \$14, \$15 and up. Sweat pads, 75c. a pair for 11-inch pad. These are the "SUCCESS," sweat pad and have a world wide reputation. As we have the sole agency for this district in these goods you will not be able to procure them from other dealers, so beware of imitation. We have a larger stock of saddles than ever at prices ranging from \$3.25 to \$55.00. These saddles are made by Carson & Shores and are acknowledged to be the best on the continent.

Implements !



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We have just received a carload of Woodstock wagons, 2, 2½ and 3 inch tire. A car load of Canton ploughs now on the way. A car of E. N. Henry & Co's buggies—the same as we sold last year—to arrive soon. We will have a car of Deering mowers and rakes in stock about April 20th ; also a sample of their celebrated light binders. Inspect our implements before purchasing elsewhere and we will convince you that we sell better goods for less money than any other firm in Moose Jaw.

In Boots and Shoes We Have Some Special Values ! Men's split bals for 75c. to \$1.00 ; men's buff congress or bals for \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50. These are some special lines that we bought at a bargain and we want to give you the benefit. Call early and get your choice as they will not last long.

R. E. DORAN.

We Have a Good Assortment :

Syringes and Atomizers,
Hot Water Bottles,
Rubber Bands, Journals,
Ledgers, Day Books,
Pipes, Cut Tobacco, Cigars,

ARE YOU FOND OF A GOOD BOOK ?

We have on hand the latest works of standard authors and the latest books by the best writers of the day. The Moose Jaw Circulating Library of Good Literature is now open. Fifteen books for one dollar.

Lusk's Studio for Good Portraits.

Miss Gamble will be in charge for a few days longer....

E. L. COLLING. THE BAZAAR

SIR WILFRID AND THE STRIKE

THE G.T.R. STRIKE DISCUSSED IN THE HOUSE.

The Ogilvie Investigation—Sir Charles Tupper's Change of Front—A Tribute to the Government—The Canadian Eastern Railway.

OTTAWA, June 3, 1899.—The Opposition appears to have made up its mind to go in heavily this session for the popular role of the Workingman's Friend, for scarcely a day has passed this week without some time being consumed in rehearsing the part. The enforcement of the Alien Labor law has been made the subject of controversy in the House upon to assertions freely made, but not proved, that the Grand Trunk Railway and one or two other larger employers of labor who are having trouble with their workmen, are importing strangers from the neighboring republic to take the strikers' place.

The principal discussion took place on Wednesday afternoon when Mr. Robertson, Conservative member for East Toronto, read an interview with Inspector Du Barry, the notorious Yankee official whose uncompromising enforcement of the American Alien Labor law has caused most of the friction between the two countries in regard to this matter. Sir Wilfrid Laurier had stated in the House on several occasions that, by an informal understanding between the two Governments, the Alien Labor law in both countries was to be held practically in abeyance pending the completion of the Quebec negotiations. When Du Barry was asked about this, however, he declared that there was no foundation for the statement that the law had been suspended ; on the contrary, not only was he enforcing it to the fullest extent, but he had reason to know that

A STILL MORE STRINGENT MEASURE would be brought before Congress next year. In addition to reading a report of this interview, Mr. Robertson bestowed considerable sympathy, in words at least, upon the striking G.T.R. trackmen, but made no practical suggestion looking towards a settlement of the unhappy dispute.

In reply Sir Wilfrid Laurier declared that his sympathy with the men was just as great as that of any other member of the House, but he pointed out the unwisdom, and in fact the positive harm, of such speeches as the House had just listened to, as they would tend to inflame the passions of the disputants and make it that much harder to arrive at an amicable settlement. The Prime Minister repeated the explanation he had

previously given as to the agreement mentioned above, and declared that out of the hundreds of points where there was interchange of labor between Canada and the States, Buffalo appeared to be the only place where friction was being created by an enforcement of the law. Hon. members, he pointed out, overlook the fact that there were hundreds if not thousands of Canadians living in border cities of the Dominion and working on the other side of the line, and they were in no way molested ; it would be a most serious matter for these people if the law were enforced to the letter.

As to the particular case of the G.T.R. trackmen, Sir Wilfrid added that up to that moment not the slightest complaint had reached the Department of Justice that foreigners were being imported to take the place of the strikers, and he suggested that it would be more closely following the dictates of common sense and good taste if hon. members would post themselves upon the facts before repeatedly taking up the time of the House with these purposeless discussions. Mr. A. T. Wood (Liberal, Hamilton), took occasion to state with reference to the labor difficulty in progress in his city that the strikers had every confidence in the Government's policy.

THE OGILVIE INVESTIGATION.

The anxiously expected report of the investigation into the charges against Yukon officials has arrived from Dawson City, together with a full transcript of the evidence, which is being printed as fast as the Government bureau can turn it out. When the special courier left Dawson on April 27th all the charges had been disposed of with the exception of those against the late Crown Attorney Mr. Wade and Mining Inspector Norwood, as those two gentlemen had been absent from Dawson during the winter, but their cases were now under consideration. The trial as far as it had gone had resulted in a complete vindication of the accused officials, with the solitary exception of one special constable who had accepted a bribe to admit people to the Gold Commissioner's office out of their turn, while some of the clerks were shown to have received money from outsiders for work done before and after office hours. Every one of the charges of favoritism, improper recording of claims and every other variety of wrong-doing which had been alleged absolutely collapsed.

It was shown that in many cases there was no ground whatever for the charges, while in others the trouble had arisen through the overlapping of claims due to the lack of proper surveys ; but in no instance was there the slightest evidence to show that any official had benefited therefrom in the least degree. When the detailed evidence is in the hands of Parliament and it is made clear beyond question that there has been no ground

for the reckless charges that have been so persistently made upon the floor of the House and outside it, it is to be hoped for their own sakes and for the good name of the country, that those who have been so ready to smirch the character of the officials will be equally ready to make what amends lie in their power.

A TRIBUTE TO THE GOVERNMENT.

While it is doubtful whether the fulminations of Sir Charles Tupper and other Oppositionists against the Government in connection with the proceedings of the High Joint Commission have had very much weight in the country, it is satisfactory to find that the repeated statements of the Canadian Commissioners as to the actual position of affairs at the time of the last adjournment has at last been accepted as correct. The approval with which the country receives this admission from Sir Charles Tupper is increased by his offer to drop the persistent obstruction which has thus far marked the policy of the Opposition this session, but it is, to say the least, unfortunate that the offer is qualified by the condition that the Redistribution Bill be withdrawn. Sir Charles could scarcely have supposed for a moment that this condition would be accepted, for it is so generally recognized that the proposed changes in the electoral divisions, particularly in Ontario, were imperative before another general election should be held. His course in making the offer, however, is an admission that the obstruction was unwarranted, for if it was justified it would be a dereliction of duty to abandon it at this stage. It remains to be seen whether he is prepared to follow up this admission by changing his tactics, but in any event he will have difficulty in convincing the country now that he was justified in his past hostility to, and criticism of, the Government.

THE CANADA EASTERN RAILWAY.

Another good campaign story has been set at rest by a statement in the House by the Minister of Railways who, in reply to a series of questions by Mr. Foster said :—"No promise has been made or given by or on behalf of the Government either directly or indirectly to purchase the Canada Eastern Railway. In answer addresses which have been presented to me both publicly and privately by boards of trade and municipal bodies in New Brunswick urging the taking over of the Canada Eastern Railway in the interests of the public and the Government Railway I have stated publicly and privately that while not authorized to speak for the Government or otherwise than for myself individually, I had come to the conclusion that I would personally favor the Government ownership of the railway, if the same could be had on proper terms, and that upon an opportune occasion I would take up the subject with my colleagues and submit the same for their consideration. I have not made any further or other promise or statement than the above to any one connected with or interested in the Canada Eastern Railway."

PRESS EXCURSION.

Manitoba and North-West newspaper Men on an Outing to the Coast.

For some months past the Western Canada Press Association have been making arrangements for an excursion, with the result that Wednesday morning's No. 1 had two extra sleeping cars attached, which were chartered by the Association for a trip to the Coast. The party consisted of representatives of about forty of the leading papers of Western Ontario, Manitoba and the Territories, accompanied by their wives, among them being Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McInnis and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, of Regina.

The revised itinerary of the excursion is as below. So as not to miss Banff, the route has been changed, and the excursion will both go and come by the C. P. R. The start was made from Winnipeg on Tuesday at 13 o'clock. Banff was reached yesterday morning, 15th inst, where 24 hours was spent. Thereafter the route and dates are : Seattle, 17th; Tacoma, 18th; Portland 19th; Port Townsend, 20th ; Victoria, 21st ; Vancouver, 21st ; Revelstoke, 23rd ; Sandon, 23rd ; Kamloops 24th ; Spokane, 25th ; Nelson, 26th ; Kootenay Landing, 27th ; Crow's Nest, 28th ; Regina, 29th ; Winnipeg, 30th.

Cordial invitations have been received by the committee from commercial and press organizations of the different cities on the route, so that splendid receptions await the party at all points. At Portland, Ore., the Canadian matter of receiving and entertaining the editors, and a royal time is anticipated.

Free transportation was granted and the C. P. R. have been very generous in their efforts in the preliminary arrangements, and will make the transportation feature of the trip as complete and satisfactory as possible.

Sir L. H. Davies, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, has kindly and generously placed the steamer "Quadra" at the disposal of the Association, and the excursionists will be treated to an outing on the Pacific Ocean from Port Townsend to Victoria.

J. K. Hall will act as Postmaster for the party, and letters mailed to above points, in his care, in time to catch the train, will reach the excursionists.

Telegrams addressed "Care of Western Canada Press Association, Winnipeg," will be forwarded direct to the train. Your telegrams, social messages only, will be O.K'd by Chairman of Excursion Committee, T. A. Bell, and will be forwarded by the C.P.R. free of charge.

A printing press will be carried and a daily paper, "The Daily Souvenir," will be issued.

The party was joined here by Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Miller, of THE TIMES.

Saturday's Bargains!

WE HAVE gone carefully through our dress goods and thrown out all short lengths and marked them down at *less than the cost of production*. You will find a grand choice suitable for children's dress, ladies' skirts and ladies' blouses. All lengths! All prices!

46 inch Cashmere Serge, worth 75c.....	Saturday 45c.
42 inch all-wool Serge, worth 40c.....	Saturday 25c.
38 inch Cream and Pink Cashmere, worth 20c.....	Saturday 15c.
42 inch all-wool Cashmeres, worth 45c.....	Saturday 30c.

Here for the Biggest Snap of this Season !

Four hundred yards of Muslin, plain and fancy printed, stripes, figures and plaids, medium and dark col.....	Saturday 10c.
Also one hundred and fifty yards Gingham, on the same bargain counter.....	Saturday 12½

These lines are being offered at above prices regardless of the cost. Get a bargain or you'll be sorry, when you see what your neighbor got at

Robinson & Hamilton's.

Get a pair of \$1.00 Shoes.

FROM THE TRANSVAAL

THE RECENT CONFERENCE WAS AN UTTER FAILURE.

Sir Alfred Milner Wanted Additional Seats in the Rand District for the Uitlanders.

London, June 9.—Advices received here yesterday from South Africa, emanating from British sources, show more completely the utter failure of the recent conference at Bloemfontein between President Kruger and the British high commissioner, Sir Alfred Milner. London afternoon papers all refer to the dangerous situation. A dispatch from Marjies Fontein says Sir Alfred Milner's proposals included granting the Uitlanders additional seats in the Rand district, and President Kruger, under pressure, finally offered three additional seats. The British high commissioner thereupon pointed out the inadequacy of the president's proposals, adding that he had come to the conference in the hope of being able to inform her majesty's government that the president of the Transvaal was prepared to afford such liberal measures of reform as would enable the Uitlanders to help themselves and relieve the government of the obligations to intervene in order to redress their particular grievances.

THE HAMILTON SYNOD.

Discussion as to the advisability of Advertising English Church Services.

Hamilton, June 9.—The annual meeting of the synod of Hamilton opened yesterday. Bishop Dumoulin, in the course of his opening address, deplored the growing tendency to break in on the Sabbath Day, which was leading to the neglect of church going and to poor collections. He said efforts are being made to fill the churches by sensational services, well advertised. "I trust the church will never resort to any aids of this kind, for if the administration of Christ's holy sacraments and pure doctrine will not attract, nothing will," said the bishop. Subsequently, when the report was presented from the committee on select vestries, the latter point in the bishop's address came up again. The report recommended that the management of the temporalities of the church should be placed in the hands of the vestry, which should generally perform all the duties of a temporal nature now devolving upon rectors and wardens.

Ald. Hobson spoke strongly in favor of the report, arguing that under such an arrangement it would be a far simpler task to realize funds when necessary and pointing out the success which has been met with by the Methodist and Presbyterian churches of this city, which are governed in this manner.

Canon Sutherland took the opposite view, and was particularly earnest in his remarks. He sincerely hoped that no English church would endeavor to raise money or increase the attendance at church by the means employed in the other churches. He alluded to certain advertisements which have appeared in the press from time to time directing attention to bills of fare dished up at certain churches, and hoped the time would never come when the Church of England would find it either necessary or expedient to adopt such means.

The discussion on the report was long and varied, the synod appearing to be well divided on the subject. The matter was brought to a close, however, by the passage of a motion to refer the report back to the committee for further consideration during the coming year.

The New Railways.

Winnipeg, June 9.—Mr. Wm. McKenzie arrived in the city yesterday on business connected with his railroad enterprises in this country. He states that construction operations on the Southwestern and Canadian Northern lines have been considerably delayed by the wet weather but nevertheless it is an intention to have the former completed to Rainy River and the latter to the northern boundary of the province by the time snow flies again. It is hoped that the Southeastern will be in operation to Port Arthur in time to assist in moving the crop of 1901. It is learned that the negotiations between Mr. McKenzie and President Mellon for running powers over the N. P. Portage branch have not yet materialized; and it is also stated that if these negotiations fail entirely Mr. McKenzie will build an independent line from Gladstone to the city.

Chicago, June 9.—In response to a demand for more time, made by many public officials, the organizations invited to participate in a conference on combinations and trusts in this city June 26-29, the general committee having charge of the arrangements, has decided to change the time of meeting.

Montreal, June 9.—The Earl of Kintore and Baron DeForest are here on their way west from England on a tour. The Earl was formerly governor of South Australia.

Prince Hilko Visits Grosse Isle.

Montreal, June 9.—Prince Hilko, the Russian gentleman who is interested in the Donkubors, came up from Grosse Isle quarantine today on his way west. He was not allowed on the Lake Huron, but says there was only one case of smallpox among the immigrants when he left.

New York, June 9.—Representative Jaa. A. Sherman left here last night for Dubuque, Ia., to confer with Col. David B. Henderson, who is to be the speaker of the next house.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Friday, June 9.

A Chinese leper arrived at Victoria. Dreyfus leaves Devil's Island for France today.

The Pacific coast cracker trust has collapsed.

The Wawanesa turf club held a successful meeting.

Over 10,000 Russian soldiers are quartered in the Ploversy Kingdom.

Germany is desirous of purchasing the Island of Fernando P. from Spain.

American half insurance agents are in Manitoba securing risks on crops.

The demand for railway labor in Western Canada is far above the supply.

The new Harrison, Texas, court house was destroyed by fire, loss \$75,000.

Latest advices show that the Transvaal conference was an utter failure.

The central district of the Manitoba football association arranged a schedule.

Twenty-five persons were drowned by a sand-burst and its after effects in Texas.

Britain will send Kruger an ultimatum and the feeling is very warm in London.

The labor party of Winnipeg will give a series of Sunday afternoon summer lectures.

The Order of the Eagles, a new fraternal society, is being organized in Winnipeg.

The British commissioners on the Venezuela boundary arbitration have left for Paris.

A U. S. senator will introduce a bill to prevent the sale of deleterious substances in food.

The G. T. R. Co. state there is no strike on their line, 90 per cent of the trainmen being at work.

A temporary settlement of the modus vivendi in connection with the Alaskan railway, is hourly expected.

Rev. Dr. Bryce, of Winnipeg, is favorably mentioned as the coming moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church.

THE CHILD KIDNAPPERS.

George and Addie Barrows Delivered to New York Detectives.

New York, June 9.—George and Addie Barrows, who are accused of kidnapping Marion Clark, were brought to New York from New City this forenoon, and taken to police headquarters. They came in the train from Tarrytown, to which point they had been taken by a sailboat in the early hours of the morning, after the Rockland county authorities had delivered them to New York detectives.

The New York men lost no time in getting the prisoners out of Rockland county once they got their hands on them. The easiest and quickest way to cross the Hudson river, and this they did by sailboat from Nyack. The delivery of the prisoners to the New York detectives was as dramatic as every other feature in the kidnapping case. It took place in the middle of the night, and was followed by a weird drive in the darkness over the mountains, crossing the Hudson by break of day, and finally the delivery of the prisoners at police headquarters, this city, amid much excitement. Bella Anderson or Carrie Jones was taken to the police headquarters soon afterwards.

At Tarrytown the woman broke down and stimulants had to be given her, but her husband did not seem loquacious. Later the woman said she was glad she was going to New York, so that the struggle would soon be over.

Cloudburst in Texas.

Austin, Tex., June 9.—The cloudburst of yesterday, which swelled the rivers of this portion of the state out of their banks and caused great loss of property, was much worse than reported. Many are known to have perished, meagre reports tonight placing the number at twenty-five. Today reports come from San Saba, and Manardville, small towns, ninety miles north of here in the mountains, saying that both towns had been swept by the raging floods and were badly devastated. In San Saba eight people were drowned. The whole town is under water. At Manardville seventeen persons were drowned, all negroes but two. The river is reported as rising and it is feared the entire country in that neighborhood will be laid waste.

Sympathy Meeting.

Toronto, June 9.—A meeting in sympathy with the striking trackmen was held tonight in St. Andrew's hall. Mayor Shaw presided and he and several aldermen spoke expressing the strongest sympathy with the men. The other speakers were Rev. Father Minnehan and Rev. J. E. Kennedy, the Baptist minister. A resolution was passed expressing sympathy with the men. In the meantime the Grand Trunk authorities claim there is no strike, 90 per cent of the old men being back to work on most of the sections, and say the road is short of men nowhere.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Hamilton, June 9.—The committee of arrangements has almost completed its task of billeting the delegates to the general assembly. It is expected that the attendance to the assembly, which meets here on the 13th, will be the largest since the union of 1875. The assembly will meet in Central church of which Rev. Dr. Lyle is pastor. The most prominent names mentioned for the moderatorship are those of Prof. Bryce of Winnipeg, Rev. Dr. Milligan of Toronto, and Rev. Dr. Fletcher of Hamilton, with the probability in favor of the first named.

CRACKER TRUST COLLAPSED.

San Francisco, June 9.—The Examiner says the Pacific Coast Biscuit company otherwise known as the cracker trust, has collapsed. Julius Brownstein, secretary of the Standard Biscuit company says the promoters of the combine could not sell the stock and it is thought the scheme of consolidation would not be revived.

Barrie, June 9.—The county council of Simcoe has presented the county battalion with a \$100 cap to encourage rifle practice among the men.

THE ALASKA BOUNDARY

NEGOTIATIONS FOR SETTLEMENT OF THE QUESTION.

Mr. Chamberlain's Diplomacy Will Bring About an Agreement in Canada's Interests.

London, June 9.—A high authority in the colonial office informed a representative of the Associated Press that the negotiations with reference to the Alaskan question are in the most possible condition. After the interview yesterday with the Marquis of Salisbury, the lines of the prospective settlement for carrying on the discussion in the joint high commission, were formally submitted by the secretary of state for the colonies. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, who throughout, has had a most potent influence with the Canadian side. Every arrangement in the negotiations between Mr. Choate, Lord Salisbury and Sir Julian Pauncefote has gone through him, and the prospective settlement, in a great degree, may be considered a triumph for Mr. Chamberlain's tact and perseverance.

Washington, June 8.—Nothing is known here officially as to what progress has been made in the negotiations at London toward the re-assembling of the Anglo-American joint high commission. It is known that the arrangement of a modus vivendi to govern the relations of the United States and Canada on the Alaskan boundary is receiving a great deal of Ambassador Choate's attention. The basis for the temporary delimitation of the boundary in the neighborhood of the passes leading into the Klondike from the Lynn Canal will, if the present efforts succeed by the White Pass on the east and the Chilkoot Pass on the middle, at the points where the Canadian customs houses were established about eighteen months ago.

HEIR TO \$75,000.

A Man Imprisoned for Stealing Thirty Cents From a Church.

San Francisco, June 8.—Richard Davenport, who is now serving a term in the county jail for stealing thirty cents from the poor box of the St. Joseph Catholic church, will find \$75,000 golden, or about \$75,000 in American money to his credit in the National Holland bank when released two weeks from today. He took thirty cents because on the verge of starvation and too proud to beg. After his conviction his wife and children left him, returning to their former home in Germany. Several days ago the German consul here received a letter from Lachapelle making pressing inquiry for Richard Davenport, once staff officer of the great Von Moltke, and stating that an inheritance of 200,000 guilder, part of the estate of a maternal aunt, Mrs. Schleicher, was awaiting the lucky heir of the missing man. He was found in prison and taken by two officers to the consulate where he established his identity as Captain Davenport, son of one of the best and most wealthy families of Arnheim, Holland. He joined the German army on the outbreak of the Franco-Prussian war and made a good record. It is said he will inherit \$300,000 more on the death of his stepmother.

Condensed News by Wire.

Hamilton, June 8.—The annual meeting of the Hamilton synod opened today. Bishop Dumoulin in his opening address referred to the sensational methods adopted to draw people to church on Sunday.

London, June 8.—An interesting action has been commenced by a tradesman against the Bank of England for refusing to cash a \$100 note which formed part of the money stolen on January last from Parr's bank.

Berlin, June 8.—The Russian government has broken off diplomatic relations with the free city of Bremen, owing to the refusal of the Bremen authorities to grant satisfaction for the alleged wrongful arrest of a Russian priest.

Victoria, June 8.—Peter Leech, at one time city engineer of Victoria, died at the Jubilee hospital last evening, after an illness of a few days. He was one of the pioneers of the province and was formerly connected with the H. B. Co. He was 70 years of age.

St. Catharines, Ont., June 8.—Owing to an alleged shortage of \$900, Russell Wilkinson, ex-treasurer of Niagara, has been arrested. Wilkinson left office in March, 1898, at which time a shortage existed to an unknown extent, which has since been placed at the above figure.

London, June 7.—The third international congress of publishers opened today at Stationers' hall, this city. The United States and Canada were represented. President Murray, in his address, said if the congress only succeeded in inducing our friends and cousins and friends in the United States to enter into the Berne convention, the congress will earn a high place in the successes of history.

London, Eng., June 8.—The Archbishops of Canterbury and York listened to much learned evidence and argument yesterday in Lambeth Palace, on the subject of processional candles in the church.

New York, June 8.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Commercial Cable company held here yesterday, the regular quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters per cent was declared payable July 1. The transfer books will be closed on June 30th and re-opened on July 3rd.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Thursday, June 8.

Low water is reported on Lake Ben-nett.

Hot weather prevails throughout Europe.

It has been found impossible to interview Dreyfus.

A bicycle thief was sent to jail for one year in Winnipeg.

Joe Monkman, a Red River Valley settler, died at Selkirk.

S. Payne, of the joint high commission, is en route to Alaska.

Rigo, the gypsy musician, who eloped with Princess de Chimay, is dead.

Gen. Gomez has retired from public life and has issued a farewell manifesto.

Crops along the N. P. & M. are as far advanced as at this time a year ago.

Chief Prince, of the St. Peter's band of Indians, died at the age of 73 years.

Jean Maistre, of the Hathwell district, Man., was drowned in the Boyne river.

The chief of police at Hamilton, Ohio, and his daughter, were killed by a train.

Shaffit Hazen, of Wyoming, was killed in a fight with Union Pacific train robbers.

The Indians of the Mosquito coast have rebelled against the Nicaraguan government.

Fierce forest fires are prevailing in British Columbia, and the Nelson saw-mill was destroyed.

The aldermen of Winnipeg refused to allow the C. P. R. to build a third track across Main street.

R. Davis, sent to the 'Frisco jail for stealing 30 cents from a church, has fallen heir to \$75,000.

The Transvaal conference having ended unsatisfactorily, there is much anxiety as to Britain's next move.

QUALITY OF EMBEZZLEMENT.

Sentence of the Two C. P. R. Agents Who Robbed the Company at Trail, B.C.

Trail, B. C., June 8.—J. W. Brewster, formerly agent for the C. P. R. at this place, and J. H. Sinclair, his assistant, were today found guilty of embezzlement of the funds of the railway company and sentenced respectively to fifteen months and two years and six months' imprisonment with hard labor. Brewster's sentence was somewhat mitigated, as the evidence showed that he was largely influenced by Sinclair. The latter fled to Spokane, Washington, but was extradited after a bitter fight, whereas the former was arrested here shortly after the discovery of the shortage. Strenuous efforts were made by Brewster's friends to effect a settlement with the C. P. R., but without avail, as the case was put into the hands of the crown attorney.

Cypress River Burglars.

Cypress River, June 8.—Deputy Sheriff Horne and Chief of Police Elliott have been here for the last two days in connection with the burglary and robbery which occurred in a hardware store early last Sunday morning. Warrants were issued for the arrest of two suspects, one of whom, James Cooper, was placed under arrest. The other individual made himself scarce, and has apparently left this part of the world. A quantity of the stolen goods have been recovered. Cooper appeared before the local magistrate yesterday and was committed to trial.

B. C. Forest Fires.

Vancouver, June 8.—Very early this season have forest fires started. Near Nelson a fire along Ottomwood Smith Creek is destroying timber and bridges. The Nelson sawmill, valued at \$4,000, went up in smoke. The fire was started by a Chinaman for the purpose of clearing land, but soon got beyond the Celestial's control. A large forest fire prevails in the vicinity of the custom house on the Red Mountain railway not far from Rossland.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

Toronto, June 8.—The conference on the subject of technical education was held at the board of trade building yesterday. President A. E. Kemp presided and there were many prominent outsiders present from various parts of the province. Mr. G. W. Ross, Ontario minister of education, was the chief speaker. He expressed the view that the question was one that should be dealt with by the provincial government and by the municipalities. Education, he held, was a necessary basis of technical education. Referring particularly to the proposed new and up-to-date technical school for Toronto, he gave such a scheme substantial aid. He also announced that the government would, if supported by the legislature, make agriculture a compulsory subject of teaching in the public school. A committee was appointed to consider the matter and report at a subsequent meeting.

KILLED BY THE CARS.

Hamilton, O., June 8.—Chief of Police Peter A. Clare, of this city, with his wife and daughter Margaret, at tempted last night to drive across the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad track, four miles south of here. The locomotive struck the carriage, dashed it to pieces and killed the chief instantly, and seriously injured the child who died in the hospital a few hours later. The wife cannot revive.

JOS. MONKMAN IS DEAD.

West Selkirk, Man., June 8.—Another celebrated character died at Peguist yesterday in the person of Mr. Joseph Monkman, who rescued Dr. Schnitz and took him out of the country during the first Riel rebellion. He was 89 years old.

HOT IN LONDON.

London, June 8.—A hot wave, similar to the one which is now affecting New York, prevails over Europe. Here, the continuance of hot weather so early in June almost breaks all records. Thermometers in this city have been registering 88 in the shade at the hottest time of the day for five days yesterday, the regular quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters per cent was declared payable July 1. The transfer books will be closed on June 30th and re-opened on July 3rd.

THE WINNIPEG FAIR.

APPLICATIONS FOR SPACE FROM ABROAD ARE NUMEROUS.

Suggestions for the Accommodation of Visitors—The Premier's Live Stock Exhibit.

Winnipeg, June 7.—Travellers from the country state that the people in the provincial and territorial towns are talking more about the Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition this year than they have ever done before, and the indications are that the attendance will more than double the best record. "If all the people come in who talk of doing so," said one gentleman, "the country places will be almost deserted during fair week. At any rate, I believe that more people will attend the fair this year than ever before, and it behooves the hotelmen and the citizens generally to see that ample accommodation is provided for them. There should be a 'public comfort committee' to look after visitors and see that they are properly housed. There should be a central office in charge of a competent man who could direct people to houses or to hotels where lodging or board could be obtained. Under this management there should be a staff of messenger boys to accompany the visitors to such places. However, I suppose the exhibition directors have thought of this matter and will deal with it in their usual capable manner, though I am strongly of the opinion that the city council ought to assist in this work, or take entire charge of it."

The applications for space from intending exhibitors is unusually heavy. The applications are coming from the east, west and south, and even from Great Britain. The directors will have a difficult task in allotting places for all who desire to exhibit their goods; nevertheless every effort will be made to afford accommodation for all. The real hard work of the manager and directors is now beginning, and they anticipate a busy time from now until the close of the fair. Entries for exhibits must be made by July 1st.

Premier Greenway intends to make a good exhibit of his thoroughbred cattle at the exhibition. He has secured space and intends to bring in representatives of his fine herd, for the benefit of the farmers and stockmen who visit the fair, a great many people from all parts of the country having urged him to do so. Mr. Greenway's animals, however, will not be shown for competition in prize classes, but merely as an object lesson in stock raising.

The exhibition attractions this year will be up to the usual standard of excellence; in fact, Manager Henbach is of the opinion that they will be a little better than in former years. The speeding contests should certainly be good, as the purses are large enough to attract the best talent. Some good running events may be looked for.

Perrier Attempts Suicide.

Vancouver, June 7.—Donald Perrier, the condemned murderer, made a determined attempt to commit suicide this morning. Every indication goes to show that he was aided in the attempt by some person unknown. Perrier was sentenced to be hanged on May 30th for the murder of his former paramour Jennie Anderson. On entering Perrier's cell at New Westminster today the officials found Perrier bleeding from a gash in the abdomen and from another in the left wrist. The prisoner's bed was a sea of blood and though he was just conscious he was unable to speak. Medical men on their arrival did all they could to arrest the flow of blood but they declined to express an opinion as to the possibility of recovery until they can ascertain the nature of the wound. Perrier is quite conscious but is very weak. He has not spoken since he was found.

Overcome With Gas.

Dinorwic, Ont., June 7.—Another accident occurred at the shaft of the Oxford Gold Mining company, near Gold Rock last night. A miner named James Price, being partially overcome with gas, asked to be drawn to the surface, and when about ten feet from the top he fell out of the bucket to the bottom of the shaft, a distance of about 30 feet. His head and spine were badly injured and he was unconscious twelve hours. Dr. Blair, of Dryden, is attending him.

Montreal, June 6.—W. G. Moore, 20 years of age, and J. T. Cavanagh, of St. Antoine street, were arrested by Detective Wm. Sutherland this morning in connection with several forgeries which have been uttered on the City and District Savings Bank within the last few days.

Galt, June 7.—Russell Ronald, aged 21, a son of David Ronald, and his two brothers were on a raft in the pond. The raft upset and in trying to save the younger brother from drowning, Russell was himself drowned.

Alliston, Ont., June 7.—Mrs. Jas. Mitchell drowned herself in the river last night. Her mind had become deranged by ill-health.

FRESH WATER SHIPS.

Cleveland, June 7.—The American Shipbuilding company has closed a contract for the four largest steamers ever built on fresh water. The steamers will cost \$350,000 each and be modern in every particular. Their dimensions will be: Length over all, 500 feet; keel, 478 feet beam 52 feet; depth 30 feet. The carrying capacity of these huge craft will be close to 300 tons, on a draught of 18 feet. Their building marks as great an epoch in the development of shipbuilding, as did the 400 footers.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Wednesday, June 7.

Women may now be aldermen in London, Eng.

Macdonald memorial day was observed in Toronto.

Dreyfus was overjoyed when informed of his release.

Johann Strauss had a magnificent funeral in Vienna.

Jas. Price was seriously injured in a Dinorwic, Ont., mine.

F. Jones, a Soo line conductor, was killed at Glenwood, Minn.

Marcus Daly is endeavoring to purchase 10,000 tons of copper mines.

McGill students will erect a statue to the late Principal Dawson.

Two Quebec shoe factories were destroyed by fire; loss \$50,000.

The close season for Canadian buffalo has been extended two years.

Britain's scheme of arbitration will be accepted at the peace congress.

The Prince of Wales presented diplomas to many American professors.

Newfoundland's government will enact no more French shore legislation.

Three lady college students were drowned while bathing near Lebanon, Ill.

In the startling murder case at Bryson, Que., the jury were unable to agree on a verdict.

The American troops are suffering greatly from the intense heat in the Philippines.

Joe Selwood, a Minnesota capitalist, is about to purchase magnetite deposits near Port Arthur.

Admiral Dewey was farewelled at Hong Kong by the lands of the foreign cruisers in the harbor.

A. F. Gault on his return to Montreal predicted 100,000 population in Winnipeg within ten years.

What will be the four largest fresh water steamers in the trade are about to be built at Cleveland.

Donald Perrier, the New Westminster condemned murderer, attempted suicide and is in a low condition.

The Germans are cooperating with the British and Americans in Samoa and both rival parties have been disarmed.

Dr. Robert Wallace, M. P. for East Edinburgh, was stricken with paralysis in the British commons and died shortly afterwards.

QUALITY OF WHEAT.

Professor Robertson Addresses the Brandon District Institute.

Brandon, June 7.—Prof. Robertson, Dominion commissioner of agriculture, delivered what will probably be an epoch-making address before the Farmers' Institute of Brandon last night. The truths brought out and emphasized have been, in a sense, known for years, but the professor's remarks will have the effect of directing efforts to improve the yield and quality of wheat into an entirely new channel. Heretofore it has been the impression, due partially to the work of the experimental farms, that the improvement in yield was to be obtained by securing a new variety of wheat. Prof. Robertson broke away from tradition and existing opinion, and offered a mass of evidence to prove that increases in yield and the improved quality of our wheat is to be obtained only by a careful selection of the seed by the farmer year after year, of the variety best suited to the locality in which he lives. More than this, he gave evidence to show that the seed so selected does not run out, but becomes more productive year after year. He was supported in his opinion by S. A. Bedford, superintendent of the Brandon experimental farm. Messrs. McKellar, Greig and Waugh were present from Winnipeg. Mr. S. J. Thompson, of Carberry, and Chas. Braithwaite, of Portage la Prairie, were also present. The attendance from Brandon was only fairly good.

From the Orient.

Victoria, June 7.—The Empress of Japan, which arrived this afternoon, has news of the capture and execution of eleven Japanese, alleged to be spies, on Laotung peninsula, by the Russians. The Japanese government is wrought up and it may lead to war. The P. & O. steamer Parmottia narrowly escaped destruction by a falling meteorite while between Nagasaki and Hong Kong. A collision occurred between Chinese and Germans near Kiao Chow. About 20,000 Chinese were engaged. The steamer had a pleasant trip from the Orient and arrived at quarantine with a large passenger list, showing that the tourist travel season has opened up well. The Empress of Japan had 280 first class and 38 intermediate passengers, while of the Chinese there were 195 on board and of the Japanese 250.

BRITAIN HAS THE SCHEME.

London, June 7.—The correspondent of the Daily News at The Hague says: "It is now confessed that the Russian arbitration scheme was only presented hurriedly on Russia learning that England was about to present a scheme. Neither Russia nor America appears anxious to press its scheme, and the work of the arbitration committee has mainly to do with the scheme of Sir Julian Pauncefote, which is likely to be adopted."

THREE ONTARIO DROWNINGS.

Brantford, June 7.—Nelson Horning, while swimming with other young men in the Grand river tonight, was seized with cramps and was drowned before aid could reach him.

Lebanon, Ill., June 7.—Three young women students of McKendree college were drowned while bathing in Silver creek, two miles north of here, yesterday. They were Ruth Jepson, 19 years old, of Lebanon; Florence Spier, 17 years old, of St. Jacobs, and Helen Jack, aged 17, of Beaucoup, Ill.

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OUR YOUNG HOPEFULS.

It is often claimed, in discussing the educational system or systems of Canada, that there is something radically wrong, because a number of those who take a course in our public and high schools, do not turn out as well as we expected. Some attribute it to what is known as the "cramming process"; others think the fault lies in the lack of moral or religious training in our schools. To us it seems that the blame for a great many of the failures can be traced to influences over which our school authorities have no control. During school hours the child receives instruction and discipline, but outside the school, when the parent is in charge, how does he spend his time? Too often the downfall of boys, or young men, can be traced to nights spent on the street in company anything but elevating.

In order to assist the parents to overcome this evil the North-West Assembly has made provision in the Municipal Ordinance for the passing of a by-law establishing a "curfew." The wisdom of the law is shown by many of the larger cities in the east and in the United States adopting it, and we think that North-West towns would profit by following their example and taking advantage of the privilege given them.

Then again many of the evil influences the child is subject to might be obviated or considerably diminished if more good interesting literature was placed within the reach of the children.

Parents ungrudgingly pay school taxes and purchase text books for their children and send them to school that, among other things, they may acquire a taste for good literature, and then neglect to furnish proper food to satisfy the desire created. But the worst of it is, if reading matter is not furnished the child, he will secure it himself and he is not always capable of choosing aright. How often do you hear the remark, "Oh, that boy of mine is a regular book worm."

"What is he reading?" is sometimes asked. "Oh, I don't know," is the usual answer. But you should know. And if you took the trouble you would perhaps be surprised to find that your boy was wasting his time over some trash not worth the paper it is printed on.

In this age of cheap, good books, it is not impossible for every home to possess at least a few works that will appeal to the minds of boys and girls. Let them have these within reach and many an hour will be pleasantly and profitably spent which would otherwise have been wasted.

Too much care cannot be taken in the oversight of children's reading, as their minds are so susceptible to the baneful effects of immoral or trashy literature. We do not claim our educational system is perfect by any means, but we do think that if these few suggestions were acted upon, our school system, with all its faults, would not have so many failures to answer for.

THE TRANSPORTATION QUESTION.

The transportation question continues to occupy a large place in the public eye, and the greatest interest attaches to any progress made towards its solution. The declaration therefore of the Prime Minister, made the other day in the course of the discussion on Mr. J. G. Rutherford's resolution calling for the creation of a railway commission, is of exceptional interest. Sir Wilfrid Laurier intimated that in the opinion of the government "there are many sorts of grievances which could be effectively dealt with only by a railway commission." "But," added the Premier, "the trouble and labor and difficulty of framing a law that would constitute such court makes the question a very embarrassing one, and I shall not surprise my hon. friends here, or, especially my hon. friends from North-West Territory

and the Province of Manitoba, when I say that this is a question which up to the present time we have not been able to grapple with in such a way as to be in a position to present a bill this session. But the matter is engaging the attention of the Government. I claim that we have done something already for the people of the Northwest. In the very first year after we assumed control of the Administration we obtained from the one great transportation company of the Northwest Territory, that is to say the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, a notable reduction in its freight rates. But we do not think that we have exhausted our efforts on behalf of the people of the Northwest. On the contrary, we think there is a great deal to be done in that respect, and we think that one thing that can be done to solve the problem is to do just what is asked by this resolution. Our efforts to solve this problem are evidently watched with interest across the line, and the progress we are making is appreciated, as the following observation in the New York Tribune shows:—"The simple facts are that for years past Canada has been improving her transportation facilities in a far-seeing, enterprising, energetic and liberal manner. She has meant business at every step. She has been animated by the spirit that has made the British Empire the greatest commercial power the world has ever seen."

In no other business or calling does the quality of the product produced count for so much as in farming. We are afraid that many farmers do not realize the importance of this. The farmer is differentiated in this respect from the manufacturer or producer of other than purely farm products. A manufacturer may decide to make an inferior quality of goods which he can afford to sell at a lower price because they do not cost as much to produce as the best quality. But the farmer cannot do this. If he produces an inferior product he has to take an inferior price, but with this difference, that it costs him as much to produce a poor quality as the best quality. For this reason the farmer cannot afford to produce an inferior article and should aim to produce only the quality that will command the highest price. Unless he does so he cannot hope to make his business a profitable one. It costs as much to raise a poor horse, an inferior beef animal, a scumpy sheep and a second class hog as the very best of these animals, and they will not bring nearly as much on the market. So we say the keynote to successful farming in this country is to produce the highest quality of product. This accomplished and the success of the agriculturist is assured, and instead of having to look for a market the market will come to him.

In his annual report Inspector T. P. Wadsworth speaking of the Qu'Appelle School says that it is probably the first of our Industrial Schools to enroll a pupil of the second generation, a pupil whose parents were graduated at Qu'Appelle. Then he adds:—"It is from the children of graduates that I expect to see the fruit of the system. But little permanent impression can be made on the child of a buffalo hunter, one who has heard from his parent's lips the fine times they have had in the buffalo hunting, horse stealing Indian war day. When these stories become mythical, the teaching will become easier, and training influences lasting."—I. S. Progress, Regina.

A clergyman in Oxford, says the Stratford Beacon, whose salary had not been paid for several months, told the trustees that he must have his money as his family were suffering for the necessities of life. "Money!" exclaimed one of the trustees, noted for his stinginess, "do you preach for money? I thought you preached for souls." The minister replied: "So I do; but I cannot eat souls. And if I could, it would take a thousand

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such as yours to make a meal." We once heard of a minister whose congregation offered him an increase of salary from \$800 to \$900. He refused it on the ground that he had enough trouble trying to collect the \$800.

An English scholar has been looking into the origin of the word "Hurrah." He thinks "there can be no doubt that the Egyptian soldiers went into battle with the inspiring cheer of 'Hoo Ra! Hoo Ra! Hoo Ra!' and if the average questioning man asks why, he staggers with this: 'Because Hoo Ra (in the tongue of the Thotmes and the Ramesses) means 'The King! the King! the King!' Yes, more, as 'Ra' means not only King, but also God and Man, the concentrated meaning of the cry would be, 'For God, King and Country!' What more loyal, what more patriotic, what more devout."

The new license act passed by the Prince Edward Island Legislature forbids treating. This is a big step against the liquor traffic and in the interest of temperance. The treating habit is the meanest and most harmful aspect of the liquor traffic. Seldom does a young man buy his first glass—he is generally "treated" to it. The next step Prince Edward Island should take would be to pass a law forbidding a man to treat himself.

If Horace Greely lived in Toronto today, his advice to young men would still be, Go West! Go West! There are harvests to be raised, minerals to be quarried, timber to be got out, fisheries to be operated, all kinds of wealth to be produced, and all kinds of commodities to be distributed. Nature has provided the opportunities in abundance, and all that is required is the intelligent application of capital and labor.—Ex.

SHAUGHNESSY IS PRESIDENT.

Sir William is Chairman of the Board of Directors—R. B. Angus Vice-President.

Montreal, June 12.—At the regular meeting of the Canadian Pacific railway directors to-day, which was attended by Sir William Van Horne, the president; Mr. Shaughnessy, the late vice, E. B. Oler, M.P., W. D. Matthews, of Toronto, and Geo. Harris, of Boston, Sir William Van Horne resigned the presidency and was elected chairman of the board of directors. Mr. Shaughnessy was elected president. It is understood Mr. R. B. Angus will be made vice-president, but the position was not filled to-day. Mr. Shaughnessy announced after the meeting that Mr. McNicholl, the passenger traffic manager, had been appointed assistant general manager. Mr. Shaughnessy himself will for the present continue to act as general manager, as well as president. Among further changes rumored is the appointment of Mr. Robt. Kerr, the present traffic manager of the lines west of Fort William, to succeed Mr. McNicholl, and C. E. Macpherson, district passenger agent at Toronto, to succeed Mr. Kerr, but so far these are not formally announced.

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PARIS IN 1900

The Territorial Government Arranging for a North-West Exhibit.

Department of Agriculture, Regina, N.W.T.
To the Editor of THE TIMES: Dear Sir—This Department has been requested by the Commissioners for the International Exhibition at Paris in 1900 to procure samples of the various grains produced in the North-West Territories in connection with the Canadian exhibit on that occasion, and it has, therefore, been decided to adopt the following plan: Three prizes will be offered by this Government at each of the forthcoming fall shows, \$3 for the best half bushel of wheat, \$2 for the best half bushel of oats, and \$2 for the best half bushel of barley, open only to grain raised during the season of 1899, the grain to be exhibited in a white duck sack, and the prize-winning exhibits to become the property of the Government. These samples will then be shipped to the Department of Agriculture at Regina, and any agricultural society which has not held a show during 1899 or held a summer show where grain of 1899 could not be exhibited, will then be invited to forward to the Department an exhibit of each of wheat of wheat and oats and barley raised in the district represented by such society, and after submitting the whole to competent judges, the following prizes will be awarded to the persons who raised the grain: Best sample of wheat for Territories, 1st prize, gold medal and diploma; 2nd prize, silver medal and diploma; 3rd prize, bronze medal and diploma. Best sample of oats for Territories—1st prize, silver medal and diploma; 2nd prize, bronze medal and diploma; 3rd diploma. Best sample of barley for Territories—1st, silver medal and diploma; 2nd, bronze medal and diploma; 3rd diploma. The prize-winning samples will be sent to Paris as part of the national exhibit.
CHAS. W. PETERSON,
Deputy Com. of Agriculture,
Government Offices, Regina, N.W.T.

Talky Ads.

What if a man came to you and said, "Down at my store I've got some cheese and muslins and dusters and turnips and socks and ice cream and codfish and corkscrews"—rattled 'em off as fast as he could sing, and closed by saying, "My prices are very low." Wouldn't it impress you much, would it? Suppose he came and said, "I can clear up here to tell you about some cheese that I think you'd like—something really good—rich and crumbly you know—goes just right with apple pie—comes a little higher than skim milk cheese, but yum! yum! it's so good." You'd think that cheese was worth consideration, wouldn't you? But a merchant can't go himself and talk to everybody every day. He has to send an advertisement to talk to him. Then why not let the advertisement talk as nearly as possible in the same impressive way that he would talk? Why jumble a lot of things and not catch the reader's attention with any of them? Make your ads talk.—Brains.

Prof. Fletcher's Dates.
Prof. Fletcher, the Dominion botanist, accompanied by Commissioner Bulyea, will deliver lectures on Noxious Weeds at the following places and dates: Moosemound, June 19; Whiterock, June 20; Grenfell, June 21; Waboway, June 22; Indian Head, June 23; Qu'Appelle Station, June 24; Fort Qu'Appelle, June 25; Regina, June 27; Moose Jaw, June 28; Fairmeade, June 29; Glen Adelaide, June 30; Clare, July 1; Maryfield, July 3; Osborn, July 4; Carnduff, July 5; Gainsboro, July 6.

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Chamberlain Has Exposed the Cause of the Uitlanders—Exodus From the Transvaal Has Started.

London, June 12.—When the secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Jos. Chamberlain, in the house of commons on Thursday summed up the result of the Bloemfontein conference by declaring "a new situation has been created," he used a pregnant phrase open apparently to a variety of interpretations. But in reality open to only one. The politicians who have closely followed the affairs of the Transvaal and Mr. Chamberlain's attitude with respect to them are fully satisfied that the colonial secretary plainly meant to declare that by means of these open negotiations in which the British high commissioner, Sir Alfred Milner, had exhausted every diplomatic resource to effect a reasonable settlement of the matters in dispute, it had been proved finally that President Kruger was irreconcilable and that all hope of an arrangement by a suggestion of diplomatic pressure was henceforth vain. The British are especially exasperated because they feel they have been trifled with and the question on everybody's lips is "What next?"

Mr. Chamberlain is not the man to be diverted from his course. He has publicly and deliberately exposed the cause of the Uitlanders and his next step will be a demand. Then there will be energetic action to support the demand. It may be regarded as certain that this contingency has been fully foreseen for months past. Fresh troops and large quantities of munitions of war have gone to South Africa by every steamer. The troops have been described as "reliefs," but those they were supposed to relieve have remained in South Africa. A steamer which sailed in May took 500 of these reliefs and passengers who had previously secured accommodation, had to yield their places to the officers and men. In Natal, notably at Lady Smith, a large force has been assembled and ready to march at a moment's notice. It is estimated that the Transvaal could muster a fighting force of from 15,000 to 18,000 men, while the British troops number 11,000 men, commanded by the veteran major general, Sir Wm. Francis Butler, who has been in command in South Africa since 1898. In addition the British have a large body of splendid mounted riflemen and mounted police available. While the country generally is backing Mr. Chamberlain, many well informed people assert that, urged by Cecil Rhodes and the potent social influences of the British Chartered South African company, he is hurrying the country to disaster. They say not only will President Kruger not retreat but that the Transvaal forces, familiar with every inch of the ground, will be able to cope with any force Great Britain can put in the field.

Bloemfontein, Orange Free State, June 12.—It is asserted in official circles here that President Kruger will propose to the Transvaal the abolition of the dynamite monopoly. While the Orange Free State is using its influence at Pretoria to obtain reforms for the Uitlanders in the Transvaal, the railway company has sent all its available rolling stock to Johannesburg to be in readiness for a possible exodus of the population.

London, June 12.—The Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Mail says that the expected exodus from Johannesburg has begun and that business there is at a standstill.

London, June 11.—It is not improbable that the crisis in the Transvaal will be hastened today by some untoward incident at Johannesburg. Mr. J. I. Robinson, the South African millionaire and mine owner, received a telegram from his agent at Johannesburg saying the situation there was most serious. The agent added that a mass meeting of Uitlanders would be held today to confirm and support the proposals of the British high commissioner, Sir Alfred Milner. As open air meetings are not allowed without permission it is not probable that the necessary permission is not obtained, the police will endeavor to stop the meeting. The consensus of opinions among prominent Uitlanders and South African capitalists in London is that the British government is in a tight fix, and it cannot retreat from its position, if President Kruger does not recede war is inevitable.

Regarding the suggestion that the United States be asked to mediate between the Transvaal and Great Britain, Mr. Choate, U.S. ambassador, said "While every good American would welcome the possibility of helping to a solution of the present situation, we have not been approached in the matter, and I personally, know nothing of the proposed mediation by America."

A detachment of 200 Royal Engineers sailed today for South Africa from Southampton.

The Volksraad yesterday also passed a resolution of regret that the British high commissioner had not accepted President Kruger's proposals, which the Volksraad "considers in the highest degree reasonable."

An official of the foreign office in conversation with the Associated Press says: "We have not approached America nor has America approached us in the matter; it is very unlikely that America will be asked to do anything of the kind, much as we value the good feeling existing between the two countries."

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AN INDIAN SACRIFICE.

Victoria, June 12.—Miners who have just reached here from the head waters of the Stewart river, tell of a number of deaths from starvation among the Indians. Chief Oros sacrificed an Indian girl and the troops have gone from Selkirk barracks to arrest him. Scoury is prevalent among the miners on Stewart and Selwyn, and there are three deaths. Rich gold deposits were found in the Upper Stewart.

Pretoria, Transvaal, June 11.—After deliberating secretly all morning the Volksraad yesterday afternoon approved President Kruger's franchise proposals and instructed the government to draw it up in the form of a law which will be submitted to the Volksraad.

Rome, June 12.—It is rumored here that Count Nigra, head of the Italian delegation at The Hague, will propose that the pope have a permanent seat on the arbitration tribunal.

Montreal, June 7.—Chris. H. Mooney was arrested here last night on a charge of being a defaulter from New York, where he was employed by Max E. Listonberg. The amount of default placed at \$22,000.

New York, June 9.—F. E. Loomis, superintendent of the New York, Susquehanna and Western railroad, has taken charge as superintendent of the coal mining properties of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad. He was formerly superintendent of the Ipswich Coal Co., of the Tigua division of the Erie railroad.

Paris, June 9.—The remains of Augustin Daly, who died suddenly yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Continental, will be embalmed today and sent to London. The funeral services take place at a Catholic church in London and then the body will be sent to New York.

Brantford, June 9.—The annual meeting of the Ontario and Quebec Congressional union opened here yesterday.

New York, June 9.—Up to 11 today seven deaths were reported from the heat.

Victoria, B.C., June 6.—The ice left Lake Bennett last Sunday and Klondikers are expected with gold next week.

AGRICULTURE FAIR.

That the farmers benefit directly from the fair it may be pointed out that last year \$12,500 was paid out in hard cash as prizes. It is clearly evident that a society that gives away this much every year to encourage agriculture, stock raising, horticulture, manufactures, the fine arts, etc., is no small factor in building up the industries of the country. Ever since it started over 75 per cent. of the prize money in each year has been paid out to the people of Manitoba and the northwest living outside the city of Winnipeg. Nothing more is needed to prove this is what it claims to be—a great industrial exhibition for the benefit of the whole country and not a sideshow for the benefit of any one part or class of the province.

THE LIVE STOCK PARADE.

One of the features of the Winnipeg fair that never fails to impress visitors from a distance is the grand parade of magnificent live stock. This is a feature that is advertised at a good many fairs but the management are not able to get the stock out as is the custom in Winnipeg for a grand parade through the grounds and around the speeding rings. People who have never seen this feature cannot form a good conception of the high grade stock and number of pure bred horses in the province. Though Manitoba is but a young province it contains a large number of men who go in for high class stock, and the consequence is that when these animals are all gathered together they never fail to create a most favorable impression on the visitor whether from the east or south.

In addition to the number of herds of high class cattle entered for prizes, the herd of Premier Greenway, which has taken a number of prizes in the past, will be on the grounds but not entered for prizes. The fame of this herd has reached all parts of the continent, and it is among the possibilities that it will be seen at some of the big American or eastern shows during the coming season. The cattle show has always been a great feature of the fair, and those who take an interest in stock cannot afford to miss the show that will be made this year.

THE DUTY ON LUMBER

SENATOR FOSTER FAVORS A REDUCTION OF 20 PER CENT.

He Says U. S. Lumbermen in Western States Would Consent to a 20 Per Cent Reduction.

Tacoma, Wash., June 11.—Hon. Charles W. Fairbanks, chairman of the United States high commission and party, arrived in Tacoma yesterday and will remain for several days. In the afternoon Senator Fairbanks addressed the representatives of the great fir lumber mills of the Pacific, the Northwest coal mine owners were also present, and joined in a discussion of the tariff, the proposed treaty with Canada and the effect of these matters upon the Alaskan boundary. At this meeting Senator Addison C. Foster presided, and favored a reduction of 20 per cent in the tariff on lumber, provided the tariff on that article was made part of the treaty with Canada.

P. C. Ames who was present at several meetings of the high joint meeting in Washington, D.C., made an official statement on behalf of the lumbermen. Like a half dozen other leading mill operators who spoke, Mr. Ames insisted on protection for American lumber, but agreed with Senator Foster, provided the tariff on lumber was fixed permanently as a treaty obligation, that a reduction of 20 per cent would be acceptable and preferable to the uncertainty of political influences and tariff tinkering by those acquainted with necessities and conditions of the trade. Mr. Ames concluded: "I think I voice the sentiment of the lumbermen of Washington, Oregon and California, by suggesting that a reduction of 20 per cent on rough lumber be considered the ultimatum of the American members of the joint high commission to their Canadian associates, and no concession should be made on dressed lumber or small lumber, such as laths, staves, clapboards, pickets, shingles and the like. I am informed that the United States sells to Canada annually \$80,000,000 worth of goods, wares and merchandise, simply because conditions favor our markets, and we buy of them \$45,000,000 worth annually for the same reason, leaving a balance of trade in our favor of \$35,000,000. On account of this balance of trade and a desire to offset it with lumber instead of cash Canadian lumbermen ask the Americans to remove its protection from its greatest industry and open our great market to Canadian competition. Is not this a great hardship on a single industry, with 85 per cent. of the cost of its product labor, particularly so, when Canadians have everything to gain and we all to lose? I have heard it strongly intimated that the Canadian position is free lumber or no treaty. If that is so let it be no treaty."

Shooting at St. Johns.

Montreal, June 11.—Some one with a mania for shooting has caused a good deal of excitement around St. Johns. N. Roy, while wheeling along the Richelieu, about half a mile from the town Wednesday night, met a stranger who told him to stop, and then fired at him, placing his pistol so close to his face that the powder burned Roy's mustache. The ball entered Roy's mouth, breaking two teeth and cutting, a piece off his tongue and lodged in the back of his neck. Roy fell to the ground, where he remained for a while and then crawled to his house. He is unconscious and is not expected to recover. Major Wadmore, commandant of the St. John's school of infantry, reported to the mayor that Capt. McLean had been twice fired at and his worship has taken steps to assure public safety. The attorney-general's department has been communicated with by wire, and Detective Fairfield is busily engaged on the case. At the present moment there appears to be no explanation of the shooting.

Poisoning Suspected.

Galt, June 11.—John W. Neff, a retired farmer, was found dead in his bed Friday. An inquest was held last Saturday and adjourned for a couple of weeks to allow an investigation. The doctors, who performed the post-mortem, found symptoms of poisoning by carbolic acid. Some weeks ago deceased quarrelled with his son-in-law, C. E. Kenyon, who had been living with him and they had been living with Kenyon, left the house and they had not spoken since. It will be seen whether this has any bearing on the case or not.

The Hague, June 11.—Prof. de Martens, umpire in the Anglo-Venezuelan arbitration, who is also a member of the Russian delegation to the peace conference, will go to Paris on June 16th to open the arbitration proceedings, but will return here immediately.

Coaticook, Que., June 11.—The Coaticook woolen mill was destroyed by fire this morning. The fire started in the picker room. Some machinery and stock were saved, but the building is a total loss, and was only partly insured.

Twenty-eight Men Buried.

Little Rock, Ark., June 11.—It is reported here that a landslide occurred at Ross Hollow and engulfed twenty-eight men, all of whom are supposed to have been killed. Ross Hollow is a pass on the Choctaw and Memphis railroad, twenty-eight miles west of here. A large force of graders has been engaged in grading the road and it is a part of this force that were caught under the falling earth. The report, which was brought in by farmers travelling from the locality, cannot be confirmed tonight.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Saturday, June 10.

Dreyfus has sailed for home. Col. Picquart has been released. The Coaticook woolen mills, of Quebec, were destroyed by fire. Chicago veterinary surgeons have been on the sale of diseased milk. A. E. Cross, M. L. A., and Miss Macleod were married in Chicago. John W. Neff, a Galt farmer, died suddenly from suspected poisoning. Two half-bred girls were drowned in St. Mary's river, near Macleod. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, of Fort Steele, were almost fatally poisoned by soup. Rev. Leo, Gaetz was elected president of the Manitoba and Northwest conference.

The Duke of Orleans is looking for trouble and is going from Rome to France.

The United States may mediate in the differences between Britain and the Transvaal.

The Methodist conference approved of The Hague peace congress at its Winnipeg session.

A branch railway from Dauphin to Gilbert Plains, 25 miles, will be built this summer.

Her Majesty's drawing room, presided over by the Princess of Wales, was a brilliant affair.

A. M. Campbell, M. P., has been re-nominated by the Liberals of Souris as their candidate.

Robert Fitzsimmons was knocked out by Jas. Jeffries in the 11th round at the Coney Island prize fight.

It is stated that 32,000 British troops will be sent to South Africa and Canadian regiments may go also.

Great Britain is now inclined to utilize British credit in providing the necessary capital for the Pacific cable.

The peace congress will to-day take up the arbitration scheme.

Forty-five persons were injured in a Missouri train wreck.

The British privy council has sustained the verdict awarding damages to the widows of the men killed in the Ellice Bridge disaster, Victoria, B. C.

GAME TO THE END.

Fitzsimmons, Champion Pugilist of the World, Falt Before Jeffries.

Coney Island, N. Y., June 11.—James J. Jeffries, another sturdy young giant, has come out of the west to whip a champion pugilist. At the arena of the Coney Island Athletic club Friday night he defeated Robert Fitzsimmons, the world's champion in two classes, middle weight and heavy weight, in eleven rounds of whirlwind fighting. He came to the ring a rank outsider and left it the acknowledged master of the man he defeated. He was never at any time in serious danger and after the size up the earlier rounds of the contest, took the lead and was never headed off. He had the Australian from the first round, and would have ended it in the tenth but for the lack of time.

It was acknowledged that Jeffries would have an immense advantage in weight, height and age, but the thousands who tipped and backed his opponent to win were sure that he was slow and that he would, in that respect be at the mercy of the past-master of the science of fighting that he was to meet. He proved, on the contrary, that he was just as fast as the man he met and beat him down to unconscious defeat. He is a veritable giant in stature and marvellously speedy for his immense size.

Less than a year ago he appeared in New York a great, awkward, ungainly boy. Today he is the lithe, active, alert trained athlete. The men who prepared him for his fight worked wonders with him. They taught him a nearly perfect defence, improved his foot movement and instructed him in the methods of inflicting punishment. The transition since he appeared last has been little short of miraculous. At twenty-four he has defeated Robert Fitzsimmons, Tom Sharkey and Peter Jackson, and if he cares for himself he will probably be able to successfully defeat them for many years.

The defeated man was just as good as when on the crisp morning on the plains of far-away Nevada he lowered the colors of the then peerless Corbett. He was just as active, just as clever, just as tricky and just as fearless of punishment. He went unflinchingly to his defeat. He was the aggressor even at the moments when he was bleeding and unsteady and when stunned by the blows he received he reeled instinctively towards his opponent, but found him a different opponent than he had met before. Jeffries fought from a crouching attitude that was hard to get at. He held his head low, his back was bent down and his left arm was extended. He kept jabbing away with his left hand, and found no trouble in landing. He showed excellent defense, and the ability to use the hands with skill. He is game, too, for he never shrunk from his punishment. It was a great fight to watch and commenced and ended amidst scenes of wildest excitement.

Has Ludgate Given Up?

Vancouver, June 11.—Mr. Ludgate has practically given up the Deadman's Island fight and yesterday morning left for Seattle with W. Thomas, his foreman, and his brother to look into offers that have been made to him by citizens of Fairhaven, Watcom, Astoria and other places in the state of Washington. He says that he expects the case will last for a year in the courts and he has not that time to waste. He may come back again to build, but chances are against it. In any event he will not abandon his lease but will ask the Dominion government for larger powers in order to utilize the island for other purposes.

Toronto, June 11.—A private dispatch states that the bullion from the Golden Star for the first seven days of June reached \$5,600.

Montreal, June 11.—Milton McDonald, M. P. for Bagot, has been appointed French organizer of the Conservatives in the province of Quebec.

Vienna, June 11.—The market town of Linz, near Ottenbach, has been totally burned. Four women perished in the flames and a number of people were injured.

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THE MARKETS.

Wheat prices have declined considerably in all markets during the past week. The condition of the winter wheat crop has not improved and there have been very unfavorable reports from Russia and Roumania, where the drought still continues, and the crops are said to be in very bad condition. The principal cause of the drop in prices has been the very large movement of wheat if the northwest and the perfect condition of the growing spring wheat crop. There has been a decided improvement in the export demand and a very considerable business has been done this week. It is usually a difficult matter to advance prices in June when all vegetation looks at its best, but the fact remains that supplies will be only moderate and prices are now on an export basis. A recovery from the depression is likely and an unfavorable change in the spring wheat prospect would result in a good advance.

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WINNIPEG MARKETS.

Wheat—No. 1 hard, Fort William, 74½c.

Flour—Ogilvie's—Hungarian patent, \$2.00; Glenora, 1.80; Manitoba strong bakers, \$1.50. Lark of the Woods—Patent, \$2.00; strong bakers, \$1.80; second bakers, \$1.45; XXXX, \$1.00 per sack of 98 lbs. Discount of 5c per sack to cash buyers.

Millfeed—Bran, \$10, and shorts \$12 per ton in bulk; large lots, \$1 per ton less.

Ground Feed—Best Oat chop, \$22 per ton; mixed barley and oats, \$20 to \$22; and wheat mixtures, \$10 to \$14. Oil cake, \$24 per ton; ground corn, \$18 to \$20 per ton.

Oats—Best grades no longer obtainable. Mixed, 40c to 42c.

Meal—Car lots of rolled about \$1.85 for 80 lb. sacks. Granulated and standard, \$2.35.

Corn—Car lots on track here, 42½c. Barley—About 35c per bushel of 48 lbs.

Flax—None offering; \$1.00. Wheat—Country prices—58 to 62c for best grades.

Hay—Baled, \$7.50 to \$8.50 on track here. Loose hay on the street, \$9.

Butter—Creamery, 15 to 16c; dairy, 13 to 15c.

Cheese—Large, 9c; small, 10c. Eggs—Fresh, 12½ to 13c.

Vegetables—Potatoes, choice white, 70c per bushel; red, 60c; Dakota, 50c; turnips, 30c per bushel; parsnips, 1½c per lb.; beets, 50c per bushel; onions, 3½c per lb.; green onions, 15c per doz. bunches; rhubarb, 1c per lb.; radish, parsley and lettuce, 20c per dozen bunches; asparagus, 35c per dozen.

Seneca Root—17c per pound.

Hides—No. 1, 6½c; No. 2, 5½c; No. 3, 4½c. Kip, 6 to 6½c; calf, 8c; deer skin, 25 to 35c each; sheepskins and lambkins, 40 to 65c; horse hides, 50c to 75c each. Shearings, 10c.

Poultry—Chickens, live, 80c to 90c per pair; turkeys, 11c per lb., live, or 15c per lb. dressed.

Dressed Meats—Beef, 6½ to 7½c; mutton, 11 to 11½c; veal, 7 to 8c; pork, 6 to 6½c; spring lamb, 44 to 45c.

Wool—6 to 7c for unwashed Manitoba fleeces.

Cattle—Choice beef cattle, 4½c per lb.; common, 4c; stockers, yearlings, \$12 to \$15; two year olds, \$15 to \$22.

Hogs—For selected weights, 4½c to 4¾c per lb.

Sheep—Manitoba, 4½ to 4¾c.

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Grosvenor	28 1/2	28 1/2
Merchants	174	179
Union	115	100
Commerce	145 1/2	154
Payco	XD	37 1/2
Miscellaneous		
Commercial Cable	106	105
Montreal Tel.	177	173
Rich. & Ont. Nav.	114	112
City P. & E.	85	82 1/2
Halifax R.	112	106
Montreal Gas	23	22
Toronto R.	119 1/2	117 1/2
Duluth Pref.	125	117
Can. Pac. R.	98 1/2	96
Can. Pac. R. Montreal	10	10
Money, time	6	6
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Portuguese Escudo	19 3/4
Italian Lire	20

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Monday, June 12.

Jeffries will fight Sharkey about Sept. 15th. Two earthquake shocks visited Toronto. Perth won the Grand Prix race in Paris. Street car employees of Cleveland went out on strike. General Lord Kitchener will reorganise India's frontier forces. Augustin Daly's remains were shipped to New York from Havre. Fitzsimmons will receive a benefit from Jeffries on Saturday.

A distinguished party of American congressmen are visiting Banff. M. Hayes, a Toronto hotel proprietor, was killed in a bicycle accident.

The Liberals of Landonville renominated their member, T. C. Norris. The C. P. R. is seeking charters to build lines in Southern Manitoba.

At Sali, Iowa, five members of a farmer's family were killed by a cyclone. H. M. S. Egeria is making final preparations to survey the Pacific cable.

Toronto's tax this year will be 17 1/2 m. on the dollar, realizing \$2,172,314.

Christian Scientists in Buffalo are on trial for the death of a seven year old boy.

J. Gallagher, a barrister of Woodstock, Ont., seriously poisoned himself in Vancouver.

Desperate fighting took place in the Philippines, during which the Americans lost many men.

Gold creeks in Yukon are becoming more promising, and the output is now placed at \$20,000,000.

Property known as H. W. 339 and H. W. 443, on the Lower Manitow Lake, was sold for \$250,000.

The S. S. Paris is a total wreck, and the company will build a new ship to replace her on the route.

Members of parliament made a trip to Madagaskar, Que., on the new inter-colonial railway.

Uitlanders at Johannesburg endorsed the action of the British government at the Kruger conference.

The total casualties to the American troops in the Philippines since the outbreak is 1,029. The total for March was 506.

DESPERATE FIGHTING.

The Americans Lost Two Officers Killed and Twenty-one Wounded.

Manila, June 12.—At daybreak Saturday a force of 450 men under General Lawton, Wheaton and Ovenshine, advanced from San Pedro to Macati, sweeping the country between the Bay of Manila and Bay Lake, south of Manila. By noon the country had been cleared almost to Paranaque. The Americans lost two officers killed and twenty-one wounded. The rebels were left behind by the rebels in their retreat. The heat during the day was overpowering, and there were many prostrations among the American soldiers from that cause.

Washington, June 12.—A cablegram was received at the navy department announcing the sudden death of Capt. Henry Nichols at Manila, from sunstroke. Capt. Nichols was the commander of the monitor Monadnock.

Street Car Strike.

Cleveland, O., June 12.—The motor-men and conductors of the Cleveland Electric Railway company decided on a strike at four o'clock Saturday morning tying up the entire system, including the Euclid, Wade park, Cedar, Central, Scoville, Wilson, Broadway, Jennings and Brooklyn lines.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

There are 10,000 cells in a square foot of honeycomb.

The population of the world increases 10 per cent every ten years.

Austria is the only empire in the world which has never had colonies or even transmarine possessions.

A Denver dog ran into a pool of water on the street in which the broken ends of an electric wire lay and was instantly killed.

Berlin booksellers are strictly forbidden to sell to school children books stitched with wire, as several cases of blood poisoning have been traced to scratches from rusty wire.

At Stratford-on-Avon, the poet's birthplace, is a desk said to have been used by Shakespeare. The desk looks authentic. It shows marks where generations of schoolboys have whittled it.

At Rookwood, Australia, is the largest cemetery in the world. It covers 2,000 acres. Only a plot of 200 acres has been used thus far, in which 100,000 persons of all nationalities have been buried.

"Handsome Dan" and "El" are now permanently installed on the campus at Yale university. They are "dogs of war." Maxims guns from the auxiliary cruiser Yale, and were given to the university by act of congress as a war memorial.

Torpedo boats may be made invisible, according to an inventor, who has applied for a patent on his contrivance, by attaching a mirror to the bow of the boat so as to deflect the rays of a searchlight and show only the surface of the waves. The principle is old, but its application is brand new.

Aigues-Mortes, once an important French harbor on the Mediterranean and from which St. Louis sailed in his crusades of 1248 and 1270, is now miles from the sea, on account of the silt brought down by the canal, and the government will sell at auction the picturesque ruins of the walls of the port.

THE GLASS OF FASHION.

Brown is one of the fashionable colors for tailors' gowns.

The new artificial flowers are made of velvet and gauze.

Black tulle flower waists are worn with white cloth skirts in Paris.

A pretty novelty in belts is made of black or white velvet, embroidered with steel jet or imitation jewels.

Boleros of rennaissance lace are a feature in dress and are very effective over the soft nuns' veilings and crepes de chine.

Floral boues are one of the novelties for summer neckwear. They are made of rose leaves and leaves of gathered gauze.

Something altogether novel in combination is a white pique chemiselette vest in a fawn gown, which is trimmed on the bodice with a fine batiste embroidery.

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The Manitoba Farmers' Mutual Mail Insurance Company, with its head office at Winnipeg, Manitoba, is an organization every farmer should investigate, as every farmer needs a safe and reliable protection to his crops from the destructive hail storms. This company is incorporated under the laws of the Province of Manitoba by some of the leading farmers and business men of the Province. The Company issues to its members a five-year policy with protection of \$500 on a quarter section. Every policy holder is a member of the Company and eligible to the election of office at the annual meeting. For further information apply to E. A. Taylor, 503 McIntyre Block, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

STAGE GLINTS.

Ben Stern is to manage Blanche Walsh next season.

John E. Kellard will be Modjeska's leading man next season.

Sam Bernard may rejoin the Weber and Fields' forces next season.

Ella Russell has lately sung in Haydock's "Creation" at Crystal Palace, London.

Minnie Palmer will star next season in her first great success, "My Sweetheart."

Theodore Babcock is slated to star in Frank Hallows' "The Man That Won on Love."

"Adonis" is to be revived, with Dixey and Amelia Summerville in their original parts.

Paderewski plays his first recital in London in May. He has announced the Beethoven "Emperor" Concerto.

E. H. Sothern has arranged for an adaptation of Hauptmann's "The Sunken Bell" for production next season.

Monnet-Sully has finally appeared in a French adaptation of "Othello," accepted first for production 20 years ago at the Comedie Francaise.

It is said that "The Telephone Girl" has traveled 27,000 miles since last September. It must have had a dazzling array of one night stands.

The New York Herald has estimated that 15 cities will before the season closes have paid \$20,000,000 for theatrical amusements since Sept. 1.

A New York theatrical agent took a comic opera troupe to Porto Rico and nearly walked home. He reports that the natives haven't coin enough to get into a free show.

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Mr. F. J. Painton, the well-known proprietor of Painton's Music Store, Vancouver, B.C., writes: "I have been a great sufferer from asthma in its worst form for over four years very often having had to sit up nearly all night. I had consulted physicians both in England and Canada without obtaining any permanent relief and tried many remedies with the same result. A friend who had been cured by Dr. Clarke's Kola Compound advised me to try it. And three bottles have entirely cured me. It is now nearly two years since my recovery, and asthma has not troubled me since. I feel very grateful to Dr. Clarke for introducing this wonderful remedy. I have frequently recommended it to others suffering as I was, and do not know of a single case where the required number of bottles have been taken that it has failed to cure. See that you get Clarke's Free sample bottle sent to any person. Mention this paper. Address The Griffiths & Macpherson Co., 121 Church street, Toronto, or Vancouver, B.C., sole Canadian agents."

The Nightmare of Microbes.

A woman who had purchased a pair of gloves was given three \$1 bills in change. "Do it up in paper, please," she said to the salesgirl. The request was complied with, and the wrapped up bills were put in a pocketbook.

"Some persons are microbe mad," said a physician in explaining the incident. Many have it so bad that they will not even pick up a pin, because it has been said that all sorts of disease germs can be collected under their heads. Dread of microbes is a common form of hypochondria. I can sympathize with a person who does not like to wash with a bundle of dirty clothes for washing, get into a public conveyance, but there is no use in going to extremes.

"Ever since the researches of Koch and Pasteur have attracted attention the number of microbe maniacs has steadily increased. Take any unbridled mind person and give him a little insight into bacteriology, and the result is sure to be disastrous. He shakes in terror at the first light symptom of real or imaginary derangement."

There is danger in neglecting a cold. Many who have died of Consumption dated their troubles from exposure, followed by a cold which settled on their lungs, and in a short time they were beyond the skill of the best physician. Had they used Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, before it was too late, their lives would have been spared. This medicine has no equal for curing coughs, colds, and all affections of the throat and lungs.

Shooting a Monkey.

When I picked it up, it still lived, but with life too feeble to attempt any resistance. Like a dead thing, it let itself be taken, its pinched little lips trembled, and its eyes of a child looked into mine with an unforgettable expression of agony, of terror and reproach. Then up rose before me the stupid horror of what I had just done. I held it lying in my arms and caressed with infinite care its dying head. The other two, whose little one I had killed, screamed in the tree above, grinding their teeth, divided between the fear of being also killed and their wish to scratch and bite me. Its forehead resting against my breast, it died, the little monkey, in almost an attitude of confidence, in the position of a small child. And never did I feel with such exasperation that need which often seized me to toast obliquely upon myself. "Brute!" I cried between my clenched teeth. "Oh, stupid brute!" —Pierre Loti in Figaro.

The Best Liniment for Horses.

Messrs. Ritchie & Co., the large ranchers of B.C., write: "We consider Griffiths' Veterinary Menthol Liniment unequalled for horses. One of ours had a bad spasm on his left leg, which was swollen to an enormous size. Griffiths' Menthol Liniment was applied two days, when the swelling and soreness entirely left it. We consider it superior to any other liniment." All druggists, 25 cts.

A Happy Loss.

"We had burglars at our house last night. Ha, ha, ha!" "What are you laughing about?" "They stole my lawn mower. Ho, ho, ho!"

One Woman's Way.

"I gave a euchre party Tuesday, and Penelope Timmins sent regrets." "Anything queer about that?" "Queer? I hadn't invited her." —Chicago Record.

There are a number of varieties of corn. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove any of them. Call on your druggist and get a bottle at once.

PERT PERSONALS.

We trust that as Mrs. Lease advances from Populism to spiritualism she may strike a "happy medium." —Louisville Post.

The ways of the politician are deep and mysterious. Grover Cleveland is arousing comment by his appearance at baseball games. —Syracuse Journal.

Nineteen hundred will not be a leap year, but yet President McKinley is hoping that Dame Columbia will propose to him again. —Boston Globe.

It is announced that Jerry Simpson of Kansas is going to edit a newspaper. He has at least the qualification: he is used to going without socks. —Fairbault Democrat.

The report that Uncle Russell Sage is contemplating a trip to the orient next winter is not wholly improbable. It does not cost anything to contemplate. —Kansas City Journal.

If Private John Allen of Mississippi realizes his aspirations for a seat in the United States senate, Hon. Chauncey Depew will need to look to his laurels. —San Antonio Express.

Boss Croker has never performed any military service worth mentioning, but he has been under fire about as often as a man in the country, and knows what it is to dodge a flying wedge. —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Do not delay in getting relief for the little folks. Mother Graves' Worm Expeller is a pleasant and sure cure. If you love your child why do you let it suffer when a remedy is so near at hand?

The Siamese have so strong a superstition against even numbers that they will have none of them. The number of the rooms in a house, of windows or doors in a room, even of rungs on a ladder, must always be odd.

Ignorance is the night of the mind, but a night without moon or star. —Confucius

Minard's Liniment Cures Gargel in Cows

It Lit.

"Gimme a match, will you, old man?"

Toppington had entered Throttle's office just before the noon hour. "Of course," said Throttle, offering his caller the desired article, and as Toppington lighted his half burned cigar Throttle exclaimed, "Oh, by Jove, old man! Did I show you a novelty that I picked up when I was down in New York last week?"

"No; what was it?"

"A peculiar kind of a match," was Throttle's reply as he rose and dove into the pocket of his overcoat that hung on a peg the other side of his desk.

Returning, he held out to Toppington a handful of matches that looked like the ordinary article.

"What's different about them?" asked Toppington.

"Why, you throw them in the air and they light. See?"

Accompanying his word with the appropriate action, Throttle tossed one of the vestas from his hand. It fell as any ordinary match would have done.

"There," exclaimed Toppington, "it didn't do anything of the kind. It didn't light."

"You're mistaken," was Throttle's reply. "It did, don't you see. It lit there on the floor."

Toppington paid for the luncheon. —Detroit Free Press.

KNOWN TO THOUSANDS.—Parnelle's Vegetable Pills regulate the action of the secretions, purify the blood and keep the stomach and bowels free from deleterious matter. Taken according to direction they will overcome dyspepsia, eradicate biliousness, and leave the digestive organs healthy and strong to perform their functions. Their merits are well known to thousands who know by experience how beneficial they are in giving tone to the system.

Ordering Breakfast in India.

Shortly after her arrival in India a young woman missionary was allowed to order breakfast for the household in order to test her progress in the language. She intended to ask for fresh eggs, but used the wrong words, saying to the astonished cook, "You may bring us, this morning, an old blind man, nicely boiled!"

A SOUND STOMACH MEANS A CLEAR HEAD.—The high pressure of a nervous life which business men of the present day are constrained to live makes draughts upon their vitality highly detrimental to their health. It is only by the most careful treatment that they are able to keep themselves alert and active in their various callings. Many of them know the value of Parnelle's Vegetable Pills in regulating the stomach and consequently keep the head clear.

Blowing a Cork into a Bottle.

Ask some of the company if they can blow a small bit of cork which you have placed in the mouth of a bottle so that it will go into the body of the bottle.

Lay the bottle on the table upon its side and place the bit of cork about an inch or less inside the open end. The uninflated will blow until they get red in the face, and the cork will invariably come out of the bottle instead of going into it. There is a simple reason for it too. The direction of the air forced by the one blowing brings it against the bottom of the bottle. The air compresses within the bottle's walls and must find an outlet; therefore it is turned and forced out at the only vent the bottle has, necessarily blowing the cork with it. But take a common lemonade straw, place the end of it near the cork in the bottle neck, blow very gently—and the cork rolls in.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

The Eagle and the Cocked Hat.

Lady Ripon told me that immediately before the Boulogne attempt Louis Napoleon was occupying her father-in-law's house in Carlton Gardens. A housemaid who had been left by the family kept writing to them that these foreigners were clearly up to some mischief. Large quantities of arms were, she said, being brought into the house, and they had also got a tame eagle, who was taught to perch upon a cocked hat by having a piece of meat placed upon it. This creature was usually kept below, but was sometimes, which the housemaid considered highly inappropriate, brought up stairs. Her letters were treated as of no consequence, but turned out prophetic. —Sir Grant Duff's "Notes From a Diary."

A Mean Suggestion.

The woman did not believe in the oenick. "Now, I propose to test this clairvoyant," she was saying. "I shall send her a lock of my hair, as she directs, with some question which nobody but myself can possibly answer. Let me see, what can I ask her?" The man laughed hoarsely. "Ask her what is the real color of the hair," he urged.

GRIPPE'S LEGACY.

Shattered Nerves and Weakened Heart—A St. John Lady Tells About It.

Mr. A. John Quigley, who resides at 20 Sheriff St., St. John, N.B., states: "Some time ago I was attacked by a severe cold, which ended up in a bad attack of La Grippe. Since that time I have never regained my health, being weak, nervous and run down."

"I believed very much from Indigestion, accumulation of gas in the stomach, and was in almost constant distress. I doctored with some of the best physicians in this city; but got no relief until I began using Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and am pleased to say that they have completely cured me."

"My appetite is restored; my nervous system has been tuned up to its old-time condition, and I have no more trouble from the Indigestion and can eat anything I choose."

"I am only too glad to testify to the merits of such a marvellous remedy as Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for the cure of nervousness, heart trouble, indigestion, etc. Price 50c. a box, all druggists."

Take

B.B.B.

This

Spring.

Very few people escape the enervating influence of spring weather.

There is a dullness, drowsiness and inaptitude for work on account of the whole system being clogged up with impurities accumulated during the winter months.

The liver is sluggish, the bowels inclined to be constipated, the blood impure, and the entire organism is in need of a thorough cleansing.

Of all "Spring Medicines," Burdock Blood Bitters is the best.

It stimulates the sluggish liver to activity, improves the appetite, acts on the bowels and kidneys, purifies and enriches the blood, removes all poisonous products, and imparts new life and vigor to those who are weak and debilitated.

7 Big Mr. Wm. J. Hepburn writes Bolts. from Centralia, Ont.: "I can sincerely say that Burdock Blood Bitters is the best spring medicine on the market. Last spring my blood got out of order, and I had seven or eight good sized boils come out on my body, and the one on my leg was much larger than an egg. I got a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and inside of six days, when only half the bottle was taken, there wasn't a boil to be seen. I have recommended B.B.B. to different people in our village, and all derived benefit from it. I wish B.B.B. every success, as it is indeed a great medicine for the blood."

B.B.B. is a highly concentrated vegetable compound—teaspoonful doses—add water yourself.

He Didn't Need It.

Could the funny sayings and incidents at the tenants' dinners in Scotland be collected they would make an unrivaled book of humor. Mistakes of amusing and sometimes embarrassing nature occur frequently at such functions. One story is told of a guest at a Scottish tenants' dinner who tasted ice cream for the first time on that occasion. He pushed a large spoonful of the frozen mixture into his mouth and jumped from his chair with agony expressed on his face. He let out a yell and cried out, "Ow, ow, ma rotten tooth!" and could not be induced to eat any more.

At another Scottish affair of the kind a good old farmer was seated next to the hostess. She served him a bit of savory omelet, which seemed to cause the old man deep disappointment. His idea of an omelet had always been a dessert with sugar, or fruit or jams, and after tasting the sample before him he turned to the hostess and said, "Weel, ma lady, I canna compliment you on your puddin'."

The late Duke of Buccleuch told a story of a tenant at one of the farmers' dinners on his estates who was asked by the duchess if he would take some rhubarb, a dish she was fond of. The farmer was surprised, but answered politely, "I'm muckle obliged to your grace, but I dinna need it."

Dear Sirs,—Within the past year I know of three fatty tumors on the head having been removed by the application of MINARD'S LINIMENT without any surgical operation and there is no indication of a return.

CAPT. W. A. PITT.

Clifton, N.B. Gondola Ferry.

Face to Face.

"I've got the money to back my offer," said the ponderous citizen, "and I'd give a fortune to anybody who could show me how the reduce my weight."

"And I'd do the same for anybody who would stop my hair from falling out. By the way, how did you make your money?"

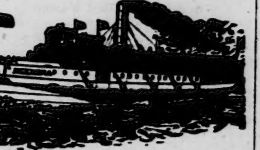
Bombay is one of the chief gates to India, and a lovely view of it is obtained from the sea as the vessel gradually draws near to the harbor, which puts inland, and is surrounded by the town.

HAD LA GRIPPE.—Mr. A. Nickerson, farmer, Dutton, writes: "Last winter I had la grippe, and it left me with a severe pain in the small of my back and hip that used to catch me whenever I tried to climb a fence. This lasted for about two months, when I bought a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil and used it both internally and externally, morning and evening, for three days, at the expiration of which time I was completely cured."

A Big Difference.

"Tommy," said the teacher, "is there any difference between the words 'sufficient' and 'enough'?" "Yes'm," replied the youngster. "Sufficient is when mother thinks I have eaten enough pie, and 'enough' is when I think I have eaten sufficient."

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A Thrilling Entertainment.

Perhaps the most thrilling entertainment on record was one witnessed in the Romagna, which was as unexpected as it was unauthorized. It was the last day of the carnival, and the theater of Formilopoli was packed with a crowd of spectators awaiting the rise of the curtain. After a long delay the curtain went up, only to disclose a stage occupied by 100 brigands facing the audience with pointed rifles.

The leader of the strange cast, Il Passatore, one of the most ruthless robbers of any age, bowed profoundly to the horror stricken audience and explained that the theater was surrounded by his men, that the first man who attempted to escape would be shot, and that he and his merry men would proceed to collect any money and valuables they had with them.

The brigand and his men then descended from the stage and stripped the audience of their possessions to the value of \$400,000. He then thanked them all in a graceful speech and left the theater. It is comforting to know that he and 100 of his brigands were captured shortly after and that they paid a heavy penalty for their evening's entertainment.

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The Moose Jaw Times.

FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1899.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Supt. Milestone visited Prince Albert
last week.

Mr. John R. Green left for Prince Albert
last week.

Bert Longford, of Medicine Hat, was
in town last Saturday.

Master Mechanic Cross, of the C.P.R.,
was in town on Monday.

Mr. Jas. Thompson, of Wood Mountain,
was in town last Saturday.

Jno. Riddell, of McDonald & Riddell,
paid the valley a visit this week.

Jas. H. Coventry, of the Coventry
Settlement, has been appointed pound
keeper.

Miss Pearson, of the P.O., returned on
Wednesday morning from her visit to
Weyburn.

Homestead entries made and maps to
be seen at the office of J. H. Grayson,
Main Street. 49ft.

Mr. Wm. Grayson has purchased Mr.
D. McLean's property on the corner of
Main and High Streets.

Mr. E. G. Woodward, formerly of Moose
Jaw, was a passenger on Wednesday
morning's No. 1, en route west.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid purpose
giving an entertainment on the evening
of Fair Day, Wednesday, Aug. 9th.

Mr. P. Burns, the western "cattle king,"
was a passenger on Thursday morning's
express en route to his home in Calgary.

Mr. M. Lillis, formerly roadmaster on
this division, but now of the Regina-
Brandon division, was in town on Tues-
day.

Mr. A. E. Cross, M.L.A., of Calgary,
was married last week to Miss Nellie
MacLeod, daughter of the late Judge
MacLeod.

Mr. Bert Matheson left for Regina on
Tuesday where he will act as bartender
in the Windsor hotel for his uncle, Mr.
D. D. McLeod.

City Engineer Ruttan, of Winnipeg,
has been engaged by town council of
Medicine Hat, to make estimates on a
waterworks system.

Messrs. W. C. Sanders, F. Statham, A.
Brechin, W. E. Fisher and Art. Low at-
tended the meeting of the Masonic grand
lodge at Regina this week.

A BARGAIN.—A Doherty organ for sale,
in first-class condition, suitable for small
church, school house, or dwelling. Apply
at Times Office. —4950p.

The Moose Jaw brass band will hold
their second annual ball in Snoddy's hall
on Thursday, June 29th. Tickets \$1.00.
Committee: W. Cafferata, Parry, Snow.

The members of the congregation of
St. Paul's church, Regina, will erect a
brass tablet in the church in affectionate
remembrance of their late pastor the
Rev. W. E. Brown.

At a regular meeting of the Presby-
terian Ladies' Aid, the president, Mrs. D.
McLean, handed in her resignation owing
to her departure, and Mrs. J. C. Hamil-
ton was elected to succeed her.

Conductor Robert Brown, of the Prince
Albert branch line, is laid up with an
attack of pneumonia, which he contracted
while on duty last week. He was
brought home Tuesday morning.

E. Simpson & Co.'s saw and door fac-
tory is kept busy these days manufac-
turing for the new buildings that are be-
ing erected this season. There are now
sixteen regular men on Mr. Simpson's
pay roll.

The first ice cream social of the season
will be held next Wednesday evening,
June 21st, "rain or shine," in Central
hall. An excellent programme will be
given by best local talent. Admission to
concert, 15c; ice cream, fruit and con-
fectionery extra.

MOOSE JAW MARKETS.

Wheat, No. 1.	\$ 55
" No. 2.	52
Oats.	48
Hay.	12.00
Potatoes.	1.00
Apples (green) per lb.	08
Onions, per lb.	07
Cheese,	12 1/2
Bacon,	12 1/2
Lard,	12 1/2
Butter	20
Eggs, per doz.	20

Mr. Jno. Bumphrey has returned from
Regina.

Mr. S. A. Clark, architect, of Regina,
was in town on Tuesday.

An adjourned meeting of the school
board will be held next Wednesday.

B. L. Moorhouse has placed in stock a
complete line of tobaccos and cigars.

Two cars of very interesting Galicians
were side-tracked here on Wednesday.

Dr. A. R. Turnbull left on Monday
evening on an extended visit to friends
in Ontario.

Constable Comyn Ching has been in-
valued from the police force and is com-
ing here to live.

Mrs. Walter Allison and daughter
Gladys, returned home from Brandon on
Wednesday morning.

Joseph Desautelles, of Willow Bunch,
and Ernest Lowe, of Moose Jaw, are
gazetted commissioners for taking affi-
davits.

Mr. Jno. Tucker, general agent for the
McCormick Co., was in town last Satur-
day on an official visit to the Moose Jaw
branch.

Rev. W. A. Vrooman returned home
on Thursday from attendance at the
Methodist Conference held in Winnipeg
this week.

Mrs. Jno. A. Healy, who has been in ill
health for some months, left on Monday
evening for the Winnipeg hospital to
undergo an operation.

Mr. Clayton Burnette spent the end of
last week visiting his ranch at Rush
Lake. All the live stock are in good con-
dition and prospects bright.

Dr. Size, dentist, will be in his office
until the 22nd. As for painless filling
and extracting, all he claims is that he
can operate as painless as any other den-
tist.

The amount of rain registered at this
point for the month of June, up to and
including yesterday, shows us 3.160,
nearly equal to the entire rainfall for the
season of 1897.

The man McGowan, committed for
trial last week by W. C. Sanders, J.P.,
was this week remanded for two weeks
on suspended sentence by Judge Richard-
son in order to allow him an opportunity
to make restitution.

The Provincial Building and Loan As-
sociation. Loans made for building pur-
poses, only charge for title papers, \$1.20
per month per \$100.00 on amount borrow-
ed on first-class building, repaying prin-
cipal and interest. Seymour Green, Agent.
49-50p.

Moose Jaw Lodge I.O.F. will hold their
annual church parade to St. John the
Baptist's church next Sunday evening.
All members and visiting brethren are
requested to meet at the Masonic Hall
at 18:30. The Moose Jaw brass band
will be in attendance.

By the new time card the Prince Al-
bert branch train days are changed.
Trains will leave at 7:15 a.m. Mondays
and Thursdays reaching the north end
at nine in the evening. Trains leave
Prince Albert at 5:10 a.m. Wednesdays
and Saturdays, reaching Regina at 7 p.m.

Rev. J. Fowle, who is at present offi-
ciating in the Presbyterian church, has
been busy during the past week visiting
the congregation. Last Saturday even-
ing he married a couple, and on Wednes-
day he baptized the infant children of
Mr. Joseph MacMillan and Mr. Jackson,
while he has several more baptisms to
perform in the end of the week.

Last Sunday night Mr. and Mrs.
Walter Little lost another daughter
little Winnie, just three years of age,
who died from a severe attack of pneu-
monia. Last week we recorded the
death of her baby sister from the same
cause. Five days after the baby con-
tracted the disease, little Winnie took it
and only survived five days longer. The
bereaved parents have the sympathy of
their many friends in their affliction.

Mr. D. D. McLeod, formerly proprietor
of the Windsor hotel, Moose Jaw, has
purchased the hotel of the same name at
Regina and left on Monday evening to
take charge. This is the largest and
best hotel in Regina and Mr. McLeod
should do well. We understand that he
secured the entire property and business
for the sum of \$15,000.

Mr. Samuel Clarke, M.P.P. for West
Northumberland, is making a tour of the
North-West and has visited various
points in Eastern Assiniboia, including
Moosemin, Carleton Place, Oxbow and Al-
ameda. He purposes visiting Weyburn
on the Soo line. Mr. Clarke visited
Moose Jaw several years ago, and after
viewing our town to-day, he expressed as-
tonishment at the substantial, hearty
growth of the town since he last saw it.
He predicts a great future for Moose Jaw
and district. Mr. J. E. Battell will drive
Mr. Clarke through the farming district
before he returns east.

Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Little wish to thank their
many kind friends who, by their attention
and acts of kindness, sympathized with
them in their recent trial.

A. O. U. W.

At the regular meeting of Moose Jaw
Lodge No. 27, it was decided to hold the
annual picnic on Saturday, July 1st
(Dominion Day) at the Shooting Box,
Buffalo Lake, and committees were ap-
pointed to arrange for the various sports,
etc. As in previous years the grounds will
be under the entire control of the Lodge,
and visitors are again requested to help
the ground committee by not driving into
the grove, as the owner will not allow
horses or rigs to be left therein. Notices
of the various sports, etc., will be issued
at an early date.

DENTISTRY!

DR. WASHINGTON, Dental
Surgeon, will visit Moose Jaw,
at the C. P. R. Hotel, from

Monday, June 19 till 21.

Teeth extracted and filled with-
out pain, also best artificial
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Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Call Early.

WE ARE PROGRESSING.

Some of the Buildings and Im-
provements of
1899.

Last year was a phenomenal one in the
history of Moose Jaw as regards building
and improvements. The total cost of per-
manent improvements aggregated about
\$130,000. Of course the principal item
of this amount was \$50,000 for the new
C.P.R. depot and hotel and other im-
provements. Taking this into considera-
tion, the prospects this year are equally
as good.

The citizens of Moose Jaw have
unbounded faith in both their town
and district. This is manifest by the
way they are investing their capital in
permanent improvements. We believe
that there is not another town in the
Territories making more substantial ad-
ditions in the way of buildings than is
Moose Jaw. But the most pleasing
feature of the situation is that there is
no "boom." Buildings are not being
erected that are not needed. To prove
this it is only necessary to say that
houses are leased as fast as they are
ready for occupation. What is wanted
is more residences, the most certain sign
of which is the big advance that has
taken place in rents, it being almost im-
possible to get comfortable dwelling
houses for less than \$10 to \$15, and in
some cases even more.

But our contractors and builders are
making big efforts to catch up with the
demand. Mr. R. Beard is erecting six
dwelling houses on the Colpitts property;
Mr. T. E. McWilliams purposes erecting
four on River Street east, and Mr. J. W.
Ferguson, besides his numerous other
contracts, will erect two. Besides these,
the following citizens have either com-
menced building or purpose doing so in
the near future:—Jno. McNeil, Arthur
Smith, Miss Arnold, Robt. Snoddy, Dan.
McIntosh, J. A. McDonald, Jno. Bellamy
(improvement), Wellington White, D.
Malloch, Mrs. Latham and George Young.

So much for residential improvements.
There will also be a couple new business
blocks go up this year, which will add
greatly to the appearance of the town.

The first story of Mr. Korn's new hotel
on corner Main and Manitoba Streets is
now nearly up, and the contractors have
now been waiting for brick for over a
week. This building will be three stories
high and will cost, we believe, between
\$15,000 and \$20,000. This building has
already been leased and when opened
will greatly increase our present hotel
accommodation. Mr. J. M. Simington is
also erecting a two story solid brick
store on corner of Main and River Streets,
which he will use as a bakery and con-
fectionery store, with restaurant in con-
nection. The Massey-Harris will erect a
large one story stone warehouse on
High Street west, and Jno. Bellamy is
building a new solid brick furniture
store on the same street. The town hall
will be repaired and renovated through-
out, and it is expected that the Council
will expend about \$2,000 in new side-
walks. The C.P.R. will continue making
improvements this year, and will ex-
pend about \$5,000 for new pumping station,
coal chutes, new water tank, etc. St.
John the Baptist's church will build a
new vicarage, and the Methodist con-
gregation will build a new parsonage or
a new church, but in all probability it will
be the latter.

But if the townspeople are confident
of the future of Moose Jaw, the farmers
are even more hopeful of the rural dis-
tricts. Year after year the pioneer
shacks and farm buildings are giving
place to large and commodious residences
and barns. This season Messrs. Jas.
McCartney and A. E. Ross, of Buffalo
Lake district; Mr. Wm. Young of the
Stony Beach settlement, and Messrs.
Bateman and Mephin of Caron, are
building new houses, while Messrs. Hugh
Thompson, Sam Getty, S. K. Rathwell,
and Andrew Hagerty are among those
who are putting up large barns and
stables.

Mr. V. Vance has erected new
farm buildings at Buffalo Lake, and
Messrs. Hayes, who are among the new
arrivals this spring, have moved onto
their farm just north of town.

In addition to this, there is the usual
amount of minor improvements, such as
building additions, painting, fencing,
tree planting, etc., going on all of which
helps to improve the appearance of the
town and give it a come-to-stay appear-
ance.

WEYBURN.

Interesting Items From the Pros-
perous Soo Line Town.

Weyburn, June 12.—This new town on
the Soo line continues to grow. New
settlers continue to arrive almost daily.
All the land open for homesteading for
twelve miles around the town has been
taken up, and C.P.R. land is rather hard
to get. Very little seedling has been
done here this spring, owing to no land
being ready. The settlers are all busy
breaking and preparing for extensive
operations next year. The following
partial list will give your readers an idea
of what has been done so far: Messrs.
Gilchrist 40, Robinson 35, Meridith
40, Robt. 40, Church 30, Andrews 100,
Biss 80, Moody 45, Jackson 50, Powley
Bros. 75, Partridge 70, Thompson 60,
Waite 40.—One of the most pleasing
features of the opening up of this district
is that a large percentage of the pioneer
settlers have had a lengthy experience in
farming in other parts of the Territories,
and the rest are practical Ontario farmers.
All are well-to-do and have brought with
them good farm teams and implements.
These facts speak well for the future of
the district. Owing to the heavy rains
this spring, traveling is rather unpleas-
ant, especially around town. A sub-
scription list is being largely circulated
and largely signed by the townspeople
for the purpose of grading the street to
the C. P. R. depot. The company have
been asked to furnish a trainload of
gravel to assist in the finishing touch on
work, but as yet the answer is patiently
waited for. Another implement agency
has been established here, under the
management of Mr. Eros Beach, late of
Carman, Man., who will carry a full
stock of the celebrated Deering imple-
ments, etc. This makes three implement
agencies in our town, and our farmers
should not want for anything in this line.
The spiritual and physical welfare of the
settlers is also being well looked after,
there being regular services every
Sunday by the Presbyterian and Metho-
dist missionaries, Rev. Messrs. Taylor
and Smith, while Dr. Mitchell has
arrived to attend us in our sickness and
is establishing a first-class drug store on

Main Street.—A movement is on foot to
establish a public school here, there be-
ing about forty children of school age in
the district. We understand that the
C.P.R. have generously offered to sell an
acre of land of the townsite for school
purposes for the sum of one hundred
dollars. Messrs. Smith & Mitchell have
just opened up a wagon making and
blacksmith shop.—There are now three
general grocery stores and one hardware
shop in our town.—It is generally un-
derstood that a number of additional resi-
dences will be erected during the sum-
mer.—Mr. Wm. Drummond, general
agent for the Western Co-operative Loan
and Investment Co. of Winnipeg, was in
town last week and organized a local
board of directors for his company.—
Messrs. W. G. Vicars and R. Johnston,
of Qu'Appelle Station, were in town last
week looking over the district with a
view to purchasing farming lands.—Dr.
A. Turnbull and Benj. Fletcher, V.S.,
both of Moose Jaw, paid us a short visit
last week while on their way to the
former's ranch at Yellow Grass.—Mr.
Thos. Healey, our popular grocer, was in
Moose Jaw last Saturday.—There is a
lively battle now going on between the
settlers and the mosquitoes for the pos-
session of the district. So far the mos-
quitoes seem to have the best of it.—
There are now three C.P.R. work trains
operating from the sand pit at this place,
and the Soo line is being put in good re-
pair. Mr. Oliver Abbey of your town
has charge of the steam shovel, and Con-
ductors Muirhead, Brennan and Cam-
eron have charge of the work trains.—We
expect a visit shortly from Mr. E. H.
Moorhouse, manager of the Moose Jaw
creamery, who will interview our farmers
in regard to engaging in the dairy in-
dustry. As there is a splendid train ser-
vice between here and Moose Jaw, and
as the district is well adapted for stock
raising, there is no reason why the
scheme should not be made a success.—
Mr. Hunt, our popular postmaster, has
erected a suitable building in town for a
postoffice, and is now awaiting instruc-
tions from headquarters to move the
office into town. At present the town is
about a mile and a quarter from the
C.P.R. depot, which is very inconvenient
for our townspeople.

FOR SALE.

A first class ladies' bicycle for sale cheap.
Apply to MISS G. SMITH. 49-51

FOR SALE.

A small quantity of household furniture
for sale. Apply to W. ALLISON, Mani-
toba Street. 50-52p

FOR SALE.

Small house and two lots for sale. House
in good condition. Immediate possession.
Situating Athabasca Street, near Main.
Apply W. B. WILLOUGHBY. 49-51.

STRAYED.

Strayed on to my premises about May
25th, one dark brown mare, 5 years old,
branded (wrong sided 2) on left shoulder.
HENRY KENDRICK. 50-52

STRAYED.

Strayed on to the premises of THOS.
PASCOE, 24-16-28, about the middle of
May, one black calf. Owner can have
same by proving property and paying ex-
penses. 50-52p

STRAYED.

Strayed from town herd about May 1st,
a strawberry colored cow, with white
back, dehorned. Party returning the
same will be suitably rewarded. E.
SIMPSON & CO. 50-52

FOR SALE.

Good grade bull, 4 years old, dark red.
Can be seen in stable next to Mr. Korn.
Price \$500.00. Also small pony, very quiet
and suitable for children. Price \$200.00.
Apply to ARTHUR L. DAVIS, Moose
Jaw. 49ft.

STRAYED.

Strayed from the premises of the under-
signed, on or about May 24th, one small
white cow and one red and white heifer.
Any information leading to their recovery
will be thankfully received. GEORGE
TAPLEY. 49-51.

Five hundred head of broken and un-
broken heavy draft horses for sale at
the ranch of D. McLean, Walsh, Assa.
Will sell by the head or in car lots. For
further particulars apply at the ranch
or write D. McLEAN, Medicine Hat.
50-51

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On May 18th, from Sec. 2-19-23, a red
yearling heifer, white star on forehead,
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